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Skier visits last season lowest in more than a decade

By MICHAEL DANIELS

This past ski season, for the first time in fourteen years, Sunday River Ski Resort in Newry logged fewer than a half million skier (and snowboarder) visits.

On May 1, 1992, Sunday River became the first ski area in Maine or New Hampshire to ever log a half million visits in a single season.

In the thirteen seasons that followed, skier visits never again fell below the half-million mark. They ranged from a high of 557,000 for the 1996-97 season, to a low of 500,790 for 2002-03.

But the past winter's rains and lack of snow brought the string to an end.

Sunday River logged only 476,159 visits last year, down nearly 10 percent from 524,861 for 2004-2005.

But restaurant sales were up 11 percent, according to sales-tax figures from the Maine Revenue Service.

Sugarloaf/USA in Carra-bassett Valley, also owned by Sunday River's parent company, the American Skiing Company, fared even worse.

According to ASC's recently released third-quarter report, Sugarloaf had 310,583 visits, down more than 15 percent from the previous season's 366,382.

The drop-offs at Sunday River and Sugarloaf were reflective of the Northeast as a whole, where visits during the past season declined 9 percent, according to preliminary figures from the National Ski Areas Association.

Nationwide the numbers were much different, with visits by skiers and boarders reaching a record 58.8 million, up 3.3 percent from the past season, according to the NSAA figures.

Bed-base ballast

The weather-driven drop-off appeared to be primarily in day-trip skiers, according to Greg Sweetser, executive director of the Ski Maine Association.

And the decline would have been even worse, he said, were it not for the large bed-base at major ski areas like Sunday River and Sugarloaf.

"A family that has a week-

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Summer serenity at sunset



While area residents may feel marooned in monsoon season, the frequent rainstorms do offer some passing pleasures. In this case, a sunset rainbow at Songo Pond. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

Adventure ends in Bethel for young rail riders from away

By ALISON ALOISIO

It's a classic image of American wanderlust — young men and women seeing their country or seeking their fortunes by "riding the rails."

During the Depression, an estimated 250,000 teenagers hopped freight trains to look for work, or perhaps adventure.

But times have changed, and late last month the adventure

of two train-hopping teens from the Middle Atlantic States got sidetracked when they pulled into Bethel.

At about 2 a.m. on June 21, Bethel Police Officer Mac McCormick got a call to meet a southbound St. Lawrence & Atlantic freight train.

McCormick was informed there were two "unapproved riders" on one of the car's platforms.

When the train arrived in Bethel, the BPD officer was waiting at the Railroad Street crossing.

McCormick was told that when the train had stopped in New Hampshire, the crew spotted two people lying on the platform of a grain car.

Rather than risk a possible confrontation, he said, they

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Confused driver jumps the tracks

By ALISON ALOISIO

Over the weekend, a Florida woman flew to Maine to visit relatives. But on the final leg of her trip driving through Bethel, she took a second, unplanned flight — over the railroad tracks in her car.

At 4 a.m. Sunday morn-

ing, Officer Bill Britting of the BPD received a call that a woman had driven off the road and was trapped in her car. She called for help from a cell phone.

He started looking. About 45 minutes later, Bethel Fire Chief Jim Young received a call from Dispatch to aid in the search.

He left his home at the inter-

section of routes 2 and 5.

"The police went one way and I went the other," said Young. "I looked on Grover Hill Road, the Flat Road, Chandler Hill Road, Paradise, Vernon Street...."

Turned out he only needed to have looked 100 yards from his house.

The woman had driven her

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Bethel no longer a port of call for annual canoe trek

By ALISON ALOISIO

This year's Source to the Sea Canoe Trek will not be coming through Bethel.

That's one of several changes in the 11-year-old trek, which is being scaled back from 20 days to four days, spread over three weekends.

The popular paddle on the Androscoggin will also morph into a fundraiser for the Androscoggin River Watershed Council.

The event will now be known as the Source to the Sea Trek-a-thon, with a pledge of \$35 requested from participants, according to the council.

The days will start on Saturday, July 8 with Adventure Day, paddling on either Lake Umbagog or the white water section of the Androscoggin

below the dam in Errol.

The second day, July 9, will take participants on calm water from Shelburne, N.H. to Gilead.

The third day, Saturday, July 15, will feature a more pastoral setting, from Mexico through Dixfield.

On the fourth day, July 22, canoeists will paddle Gulf Island Pond.

Funds for trek, programs

In previous years there was no charge, and an average of 600 people participated each year over the entire course of the trek, according to Ferg Lea, chairman of the council.

Lea said the funds raised beginning this year will support a variety of activities. They in-

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Dunkin' Donuts has plans for former Red Top Diner

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Dunkin' Donuts is planning a return to Mayville.

A small-scale return, and not to the Irving station, where an in-store Dunkin' Donuts closed its window in June of last year, but to the former Red Top Diner location, closer to the village.

An Auburn-based franchise operator plans to put in a drive-through window behind the current Shell gas station and convenience store, both of which will continue to operate as usual.

The building is owned by C.N. Brown Co., which will lease out space for the Dunkin' Donuts. The building itself will be expanded from its current 1,400 square feet, to 1,674 square feet.

C.N. Brown also maintains a small office in the building. That office will be relocated, according to an application filed with the Maine Department of Transportation.

No seating

Unlike the earlier, Irving outlet, the proposed new operation will have no interior seating.

It will be operated by Dunkin' Donuts of Auburn, which currently operates seven other outlets in the Auburn area and Oxford, according to General Manager Bob Seavey.

The company has no connection with the franchisee that ran the Irving outlet, Seavey said.

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CAP'T CAM HAS THE CONN
Cameron Hurd, 2, of Bethel keeps a weathered eye on goings on at Saturday's Bethel Art Fair.
(Photo: A. Kehn)
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Letters

STILL DODGING THE TRUTH

To the Editor:

Our SAD44 School Board is still trying to dodge an inconvenient truth, with their second budget referendum, scheduled for July 25. They keep insisting that the state's large increase in aid to education, intended as property tax relief, is theirs to spend without accountability.

Superintendent David Murphy has touted his "tight ship" (in The Citizen, June 22) because SAD44 is now asking for a 2.85 percent (\$178,000) increase in the local share of expenses.

This is disingenuous, refusing to acknowledge that \$408,000 of property tax relief money is also being appropriated for increased spending.

The truth is that, post-tax-relief, the Board wants a total 9.6 percent increase.

I call on the School Board to deal with the taxpayers in an open, straightforward way.

If you believe you need that \$408,000 plus \$178,000 besides, say so and convince us to vote yes.

Don't tuck that \$408,000 away where we won't notice, and claim you only want a \$178,000 increase.

Stephen Bies
Woodstock

PROJECT CANOPY IN NEWRY

To the Editor:

Last Wednesday (June 28) a group of 10 Outward Bound teens from Connecticut provided the workforce to plant seven sugar maples and three river birches at the Newry Grange. In addition help was provided by Anita and Rick Clark, Raymond Buker, Bruce Pierce, Laura Lowell, Rick Churchill and district forester Merle Ring.

The tree purchase was funded by Project Canopy which promotes the planting of trees in communities throughout Maine.

The weather was typical of this year — it poured, but there were no complaints from this youthful group, who had just spent several days in the woods with the rain, mud and bugs.

As one Outward Bounder said, "This is a lot easier than being in the woods." Their help was indispensable.

Each tree now has a name, as they named them after themselves. Twenty-five years from now they will be able to drive up toward Grafton Notch and be ever so proud of the stately trees they planted.

Rick Churchill
Newry

CLASS OF '91 GATHERING

To the Editor:

The class of '91 will be gathering at Powell's Stony Brook Campground (Hanover) on Saturday, July 15.

Bring the family and join us. If you haven't been contacted by a class member, please let us know how to reach you.

We are still searching for the following people: James Billings, Teresa Connell, Heather Ellis, Cynthia Hammel, Mary Hughes, Becky Hunt, Pedro Martin Diaz, Brandon Moore, Althea Stevens, Lisa Thurston, Melinda Tuttle, Gianni Vitola-Ferriz, Chris Walker, Darlene Wells.

For more information contact Ryan Bernier at ryan.bernier@yahoo.com (803) 233-1729 or Monique (Brooks) Fraasch at tweetieb4@yahoo.com or me at (603) 323-7635.

Gena Morgan
For the Telstar Class of '91

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

We do not knowingly publish letters that have been submitted to other newspapers, letters to third parties or letters that endorse products. We do not publish letters that are unsigned.

These guidelines will be waived, however, when doing so is deemed to be in the community's interest.

In situations where the letter writer has a political, economic, familial or other relationship that could be perceived as bearing on the topic addressed in the letter, we strongly suggest the writer make that relationship known in the text of the letter or after their signature.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

Send your letters to:
Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109.
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PERFORMING ARTS COLLECTIVE

To the Editor:

A wonderful opportunity for songwriters and poets is available "free" to record an original piece and have it included on The Performing Arts Collective CD. Current members range in age from 15 to 83.

Recording has already begun. Six beautiful recordings are completed. Four more recording sessions are booked for the next two days.

The first rehearsal was a rousing success at the Bethel Outdoor Adventure Stage yesterday.

SusiQnuMuzik Studios (Bethel) is offering free recording sessions to artists.

The first Performing Arts Collective CD is to be released in two weeks; it is free!

Artists need only to have original pieces. They do not have to be music professionals. There are no requirements at all.

A concert of this music is being planned for presentation in three weeks and a tour of mostly benefit concerts will follow.

The Performing Arts Collective is a nonprofit organization founded on the belief that the world needs well articulated music to promote love and understanding amongst people and to combat poor social and individual judgment including selfishness, isolationism, insensitivity, violence, greed and genocide.

The music on radio, Internet or on CDs does not offer human being nourishment.

The infant Performing Arts Collective needs to be nurtured by the older respected musicians in the area. It is hoped that all of their fans, friends and relatives will encourage them to participate. Many are already participating.

Business and corporate sponsors are invited to participate because the infant Performing Arts Collective needs to be nurtured.

Some of the business community has already been wonderful by embracing this project. The Performing Arts Collective will bring prestige, people and you know what to the area.

Thanks go out to Bethel Inn, Finish Line, Books N Things, Peterson's Pet Shop, Pok Sun, Cho-Sun, Mouse and Bean, DiCocao's, SS Milton, Bethel Outdoor Adventure, Spirit Wings, Sudbury Inn and Pub, Sunday River Brew Pub, Liam's, Funky Red Barn, Scott Cole, Black Bear, The Chamber (Julia and Robin, too) and all of our realtor friends, especially Cindy Hiebert.

Please contact us at susiQQ@adelphia.net. If no e-mail, call 824-7271 and leave complete contact information.

E. H. Rhodes
Neighbor and susiQnuMuzik

VIOLENCE, EXCUSES EVERYWHERE

To the Editor:

After watching the news every day I am beginning to wonder, is there any vestige of personal responsibility and accountability left? There seems to be an "illness" or "syndrome" or "predilection" for everything from alcoholism to drug abuse to spousal violence to sexual abuse of every age group and gender on the planet. How has society fallen to this level?

Violence is everywhere you look, not only in big cities and bad neighborhoods, but in small, sleepy little towns, where nothing much ever happens. Sexual crimes are in the news every day from the molestation of infants to sexually murderous crimes against elderly ladies. Gay and lesbian assaults abound and only the most sensational get reported.

Years ago if a child was molested the perpetrator was immediately arrested and jailed, not allowed to roam around freely perhaps to do it again. Today pedophilia is an "illness" apparently with no known cure; well, I could suggest a couple. How can this be tolerated? Why are not punishments commensurate with crimes?

Premeditated brutal murder used to be punished by life in prison or the death penalty. Today, murderers roam the streets. Someone who raped a child years ago was often found dead in a jail cell or hanging from a tree in the woods. Drunk drivers who killed innocent pedestrians or vehicle occupants were jailed for a lengthy stay. People were held accountable for their own actions. In years past if a person treated others respectfully and fairly, drove safely and soberly and lived life "doing unto others as they would like others to do unto them," they were considered ordinary. Now, they seem to be the exception.

"Do unto others before they get a chance to do it to you" seems to be the prevailing attitude these days, how very sad that is. "I want it and I want it now" is an often repeated refrain. "Road rage" is now a diagnosable syndrome — give me a break. Personal responsibility is apparently on the same list as good manners, a strong work ethics, neighborliness, pride in a job well done and unpaid helpfulness, all on the road to extinction. Can this society and this country be saved? I pray daily that it can.

Chris Larson
Bryant Pond

BIRD FLU ENCOUNTER ALONG THE DANUBE

To the Editor:

At a recent Oxford Hills Clergy monthly meeting, the Revs. Anne Stanley and Daniel Johnson reported on meetings they had attended concerning what to do when a pandemic (bird) flu might attack one's community. How will such an attack affect us and how will we respond to such an attack in the Oxford Hills Area.

I shared with the group our recent experience to Eastern Europe about a "bird flu experience." We traveled down the Danube River to the Black Sea. We visited seven countries in our 17-day tour. We arrived at the Marriott Hotel in Bucharest, Romania, for our farewell dinner and overnight before flying home on Tuesday, May 23.

Under our door in our room at the hotel on Tuesday morning was the English edition of the local newspaper. Much to our surprise the headlines read: "Bird flu quarantine causes panic in Bucharest."

The article led with "The over 300 people placed under quarantine in the capital's Sector 2 yesterday protested against the measure, as they fear confinement will endanger their jobs." The article went on to say that tall fences were placed in their yards fencing the given area in quarantine with people with masks in their homes. The quarantine was to last for a seven-day period. The Labor Ministry in the government promised that individuals would be paid for lost time at work. The article went on to say that several hundred birds were killed. The local people in the area were vaccinated and local authorities urged the people to follow special hygienic measures and not touch the dead birds.

The article went on to say that City Hall would supply food for the people in the quarantine area. The article ended with "Romania has had 53 confirmed bird flu outbreaks in nine counties before this month's cases. The most affected county was Constanta, where 15 outbreaks were found, leading to the decrease of tourism in the area. Bird flu forced the authorities to sacrifice 420,000 birds over all the country by May, in more than 18,000 households."

Rev. Earl H. Bell, pastor,
Sweden Community Church and West Bethel Union Church



BOTTLES FOR THE LIBRARY—Sarah Moir, 13, a summer resident of Howard Pond in Hanover, is on her second year of fundraising for the effort to move the Gardner Roberts Memorial Library to a site near the Town Office. Last year, Moir and a friend made and sold bracelets, raising about \$60. This year, the teen from Gorham (Maine) is thinking bigger. With the support of the library's Board of Trustees, she organized a two-week long bottle drive, complete with roadside pickup on the town's more populated roads. A trailer has also been placed at the Town Office for people who wish to drop returnables there. She has help with pickups from her parents, Jim and Tracy. Sarah said she has previous experience on bottle drives from working with her hometown lacrosse team. Hanover has raised \$11,000 so far toward a goal of \$25,000, to move the old library from its current location on the Howard Pond Road.
(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: Civil Air Patrol cadets were learning search-and-rescue techniques from Air Force personnel at the Bog Brook Training Facility in Gilead.

Arlan Jodrey was presented a 10-Year-Service Award for representing Bethel on the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments.

The Middle Intervale Meetinghouse Quilt show attracted many visitors.

20 years ago: Mary Beth Bayerlein, Ginger Kelly, and Robin Zinchuk participated in a three-day Outward Bound course.

The Maine Department of Conservation officially opened the first public access boat access site on Upper Richardson Lake.

About 200 participants and staff arrived in Bethel to start five new programs in NTL's current offerings.

Deaths: Woodbury H. Tracy.

30 years ago: Congressman Bill Cohen announced that he planned to walk across the 2nd Congressional District for the fourth consecutive year.

The Western Maine Gem and Mineral Festival was held at the Gould Academy Field House.

The Bethel Bicentennial Committee held an Old Fashioned Fourth of July celebration featuring dances, a youth parade, games, and community picnic and variety show, a scavenger hunt, fireworks, and other events.

Births: Sara Marie Brooks, Jonathan Robert Bangs.

Deaths: John Syll LeClair.

40 years ago: Firefighters from Bethel, Rumford and Hanover were called to a fire on the Charles Bartlett property, which spread rapidly over about two acres.

Jean Claude St. Hilaire, 25, of Meriden, Conn., drowned when he fell from his boat in Songo Pond.

Chester Rowe of Lovell opened Rowe's Flying "A" at the corner of Main and Vernon streets (now the location of Café DiCocao Marketplace).

Deaths: Mrs. Mary E. (Mamie) Twitchell, Jean Claude St. Hilaire, Sgt. James B. Bartlett.

50 years ago: Employees of Hanover Dowel Co. enjoyed their annual outing at Abbott's Anchorage, South Pond.

Nearly 100 local citizens attended a preview of the remodeled and redecorated Bethel Inn guest house, the Elms. (Now the Bethel Historical Society's Robinson House.)

Alder River Grange held a Dairy Supper with about 37 in attendance.

Kenny Goodwin and His Orchestra were playing at the Top Hat in Hanover.

Birth: Joseph Girardin.

60 years ago: Henry H. Hastings Jr. was admitted to the Maine Bar by Supreme Court Justice Arthur Chapman, retired.

Mrs. Ethel Bisbee and Mrs. Blanche Howe attended the National PTA convention in Buffalo, N.Y. Mrs. Bisbee was a delegate.

Miss Carrie Philbrick was tendered a farewell reception by her Bethel Inn friends. She was leaving for her home in Lowell, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis moved into their new home on the Middle Intervale Road.

70 years ago: At a special meeting, Bethel Village Corporation voted to motorize hook and ladder and hose equipment.

The first transoceanic telephone call from Bethel was made. The call was to London, England.

Deaths: Mrs. Nellie Holt, Mrs. Mary E. Rafter.

80 years ago: The cellar was being dug for a house to be erected for Arthur Herrick on Vernon Street. (Now owned by Patricia Early)

Deaths: Newton E. Richardson, William John McCrea.

100 years ago: Dr. F.B. Tuell's son, Gilbert, graduated from Bowdoin College.

A number of Bethel people attended the dedication of the Universalist Church in West Paris.

Two new autos came to town, one a Rio owned by Fred Edwards and a Maxwell Runabout owned by Herrick Bros.

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Briefly

Ledges update/info meeting

WOODSTOCK—The Ledges (Buck's and Lapham's) Subcommittee working with the Mahoosuc Land Trust to conserve the 640 acre former Mead parcel in Woodstock will hold a meeting on Friday, July 7 at 7 p.m. in the Woodstock Town Office meeting room. The purpose of the meeting is to report on activities of the subcommittee. Anyone interested in the project who is unable to attend the meeting may contact the Mahoosuc Land Trust, 824-3806, or Cathy Newell, 875-2116.

College planning workshop

SOUTH PARIS—Adults considering college are invited to participate in a free college-planning workshop sponsored by the Maine Educational Opportunity Center (MEOC), on Monday, July 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the South Paris Career Center. Since 1991 MEOC has been providing valuable support services to help students from low-income and working families successfully enter college. MEOC helps adult students overcome class, social, academic and cultural barriers to higher education. All MEOC services are free. Call (800) 281-3703 to register.

Classic Car Exhibit

PARIS HILL—The 28th annual Founders Day Classic Car Exhibit on will be held on Saturday, July 15, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., rain or shine. The exhibit provides a one-day opportunity for the general public to view one of the premier private automobile collections in the nation. More than 60 vehicles will be on display, including Packards, Duesenbergs, Stutz Bearcats, a Tucker, a Thomas Flyer, and vintage racecars. Also on display will be rare antique dolls, toys, carriages and more. Founders Day also features dozens of vendors on the village green, offering a wide variety of wares, including antiques, crafts, art and food. The Parisians are among the free musical guests performing and wagon-ride tours will be available of historic Paris Hill. For more information, please call the Hamlin Library at 207-743-2980 or check its web site at www.hamlin.lib.me.us.

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From the Bethel Police Log:

Tuesday, July 4

At 9 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor stopped a vehicle on Route 26 for an expired inspection sticker. The driver's license was suspended. Richard Russum, 20, of Bethel was charged with operating without a license.

At 9 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to Riverside Lane for a vehicle stuck in the mud in a field. A tow truck was called to pull it out.

At 10:45 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to a business for a report of a suspicious person buying \$1 of gasoline in a small container. A check of the subject's license plate showed it was suspended. Police were going to be on the lookout for it.

Monday, July 3

At 5 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to the Intervale Road for an accident. The officer located the driver, who had hit a deer, at a business. Asked why he had left the scene of an accident, the driver said he had to get to work. There was a dead deer in the back of his truck. The driver was warned for leaving the scene.

At 8:35 a.m. a subject brought an expensive lawn chair, found on the common on Saturday, into the PD.

At 9:43 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor responded to a Route 2 business. It had been broken into overnight.

At 4:15 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore assisted Bethel Rescue with a medical call on the East Bethel Road.

Sunday, July 2

At 4:01 a.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to Main Street for a report of sounds of an altercation. A subject from out of town was given a ride to the town line.

At 4:20 a.m. Officer Bill Britting received a report that a subject had driven off the road somewhere in Bethel. She did not know her location. The officer began a search.

At 7 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick responded to the intersection of routes 2 and 5 for a vehicle that had driven off the road.

Saturday, July 1

At 11:25 a.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to Summer Street for a report that the street sign had been knocked down during the night.

At 4 p.m. Lt. S.R. White took a report of telephone harassment.

At 4:50 p.m. Lt. S.R. White stopped a vehicle for speeding on the West Bethel Road. He identified two Israeli citizens in the vehicle, and was instructed by the National Law Enforcement Support Center to detain both until they were cleared through the National Crime Information Center and Interpol. They were cleared and no charges were filed.

At 9:30 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese was flagged down on Main Street for an altercation that had taken place on Spring Street. A subject had hit and dented the trunk of another subject's vehicle. Michael J. O'Donnell, 65, of Bethel was charged with criminal mischief.

Friday, June 30

At 7:45 a.m. Chief Alan Carr took a complaint of trash being dumped on the back porch of a Main Street business.

At 1:30 p.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to a report that a tractor trailer was stuck across the road on the Songo Pond Road. The driver had missed his turn, tried to turn around at the cemetery, and got stuck in the middle of the road.

Thursday, June 29

Between 9:45 and 10:45 a.m. Chief Alan Carr received reports from several village businesses that someone had spray painted their property during the night.

At 8:05 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to several alarms at a Route 2 business. They had been set off by an employee.

Wednesday, June 28

At 3:55 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to Route 26 for a car/moose accident.

At 11:50 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick responded to Main Street for a telephone harassment complaint.

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Trek

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clude: the trek itself, council newsletters, the annual watershed conference, an education day to get state officials out on the river and other programs and field trips.

Among the ARWC programs is a water quality monitoring effort.

Monitoring is done from Lake Umbagog in the north to Gulf Island Pond in the Lewiston-Auburn area.

The program is intended to provide a better picture of the water quality in the river.

In future years, the council hopes to expand evaluation of natural resources and the monitoring program.

In detailing the change in the trek format, a press release from ARWC states that "while the trek has been wildly popu-

lar and attendance has soared over the years, the event itself has had a difficult time paying for itself, and the Androscoggin River Watershed Council has absorbed the remaining cost.

Lea said the cost of the trek has generally varied between \$3,000 and \$5,000 a year.

Costs include soliciting sponsors, finding leaders for each section of river, renting shuttle vans when needed, finding speakers for educational segments, and developing publicity.

"The condensed version of the trek will allow us to cut costs while still illustrating the different environs of the 174-mile length of the Androscoggin," he said.

In return for a pledge of \$35,

trek paddlers will get a T-shirt, lunch, an ARWC membership, a guided tour of the river, and shuttle service.

"Every paddler should have seven friends who take advantage of the Androscoggin River and its watershed but who will not be paddling on the trek," said Lea. "Paddlers should hit them up for \$5 each. It's a small price to pay to support improvement of the river and its watershed."

More information on the trek is available at most kayak and canoe sales and rental stores in the watershed.

Information is also available at www.Androscoggin-River.org, or by calling Susan Martin or Lea at 783-9186 during work hours or Sharon Penney at (603) 752-6060.

Riders

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radioed ahead to arrange to stop in a town that had a police department.

"Once in Bethel, the engineer slowly pulled the train ahead, so that McCormick could check, car by car, for the duo. "I found them about 40 cars back. They were sound asleep," said McCormick.

He woke the two, whom he described as "groggy and surprised."

McCormick said the railroad official who had contacted Oxford County Dispatch specifically asked that the pair be given summonses for trespassing.

"So he gave citations to Michael Lambertson, 18, of Norristown, Pa., and Ann Kleane, 19, of Silver Spring, Md.

Then he bought them coffee and a sandwich.

"They had luggage — three bags and two sleeping bags," he said. "But I didn't think they'd eaten in a while. They didn't have any money."

The teens told him they had always wanted to see New England. But because they didn't have any money, they decided to do it by freight train.

McCormick said Lambertson and Kleane said they rode up through Vermont, went

into Canada, and then came back down into the U.S.

"They said they wanted to get to Maine, and go to Portland," he said.

McCormick said he later heard the two were trying to get to Norway — perhaps to pick up another train.

Not the way to travel

While the adventurer in some of us may be intrigued with the teens' journey, a St. Lawrence & Atlantic Railroad official reminds would-be train hoppers it's not a good idea.

"It's very illegal and very dangerous," said Bob Pratt, manager of customer service and dispatch. "It's easy to slip in between the cars."

To discourage the practice, Pratt said, "we prosecute to the full extent of the law."

As for stowaways who may try to enter the U.S. from Canada on a train, Pratt said U.S. Customs thoroughly searches trains at the border.

"They inspect the train every night when it comes into the U.S. at Norton, Vt.," he said.

Whether empty or loaded, each car is sealed after the inspection, he said, preventing stowaways from riding inside.

In addition to the Customs checks, he said, "the conductors are pretty thorough." As a result, stowaways are uncommon, according to Pratt.

He said he was skeptical the two teens had actually been able to cross the border on a train.

Still, said Pratt, he was aware of the incident and had given the pair's names to U.S. Customs.

Ted Woo, a spokesman for U.S. Customs and Border Protection, confirmed his agency carefully checks trains coming into the country.

Pratt said the current train inspection process at the border is the same one used before Sept. 11, 2001.

After the terrorist attacks of that day, more attention was focused on the U.S. border with Canada as a possible means of entry for terrorists.

There has also been recent discussion of requiring passports for Americans traveling back and forth to Canada.

And since early June, IDs of people entering the U.S. from Canada at border crossings have been checked more carefully, according to news reports.

Visits

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end reservation is less likely to cancel than a 'day skier' who can make their plans when they wake up and look outdoors at the weather. Without that bed base, our Maine numbers would have been even less," Sweetser said.

Eat, drink up
If there is a bright side to the

bad weather, it was probably for restaurant owners.

Figures from the Maine Revenue Service suggest that the skiers and boarders who did come but found themselves unable or unwilling to hit the slopes were apparently more than willing and able to eat and drink.

Despite a virtually non-exis-

tent snowmobile season, prepared food sales in the Rumford Economic Summary District (Upton south through Bethel, Dixfield west through Gilead) were \$13,972,000 during the period from Dec. 1 to April 30 — up more than 11 percent from the previous season's sales.

Dunkin'

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There has been no presentation yet to the Bethel Planning Board, but an application for a Traffic Movement Permit has been made to MDOT.

The key element in MDOT's evaluation of the project will be the additional traffic volume it will generate, MDOT Traffic Engineer Brian Keezer said.

The application projects an additional 168 peak-hour trips on Saturday mornings during ski season.

According to the applica-

tion, approximately 80 percent of the trips are expected to be right-turn-in, right-turn-out by vehicles headed toward Sunday River Ski Resort.

The application also notes that the nearby intersection of Route 2 and the Bethel Parkway is classified by MDOT as a "high crash" site.

Keezer said what role, if any, the presence of the intersection will play in the review of the application, and on any conditions MDOT might place on a final approval, will also

depend on predicted traffic volume.

"We look at traffic flow into and out of the site, and we can require one-way-in, one-way-out, or we can reduce the number of entrances if we feel there could be safety implications," he said.

"It depends on a lot of factors, but the biggest one is the number of trips that will be generated," Keezer said, "and how that's going to impact the traffic on the main roadway."

Driver

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rental car through the stop sign on Route 5, crossed Route 2, struck the curb and flew over the railroad track that runs parallel to Route 2.

She landed in a ditch on the other side of the tracks, her car wedged between two trees.

She was uninjured, and was able to call 911. But it was apparently difficult to trace the

origin of the call, Young said. And the woman was not familiar with Bethel. She told Dispatch she thought she was near a Route 3.

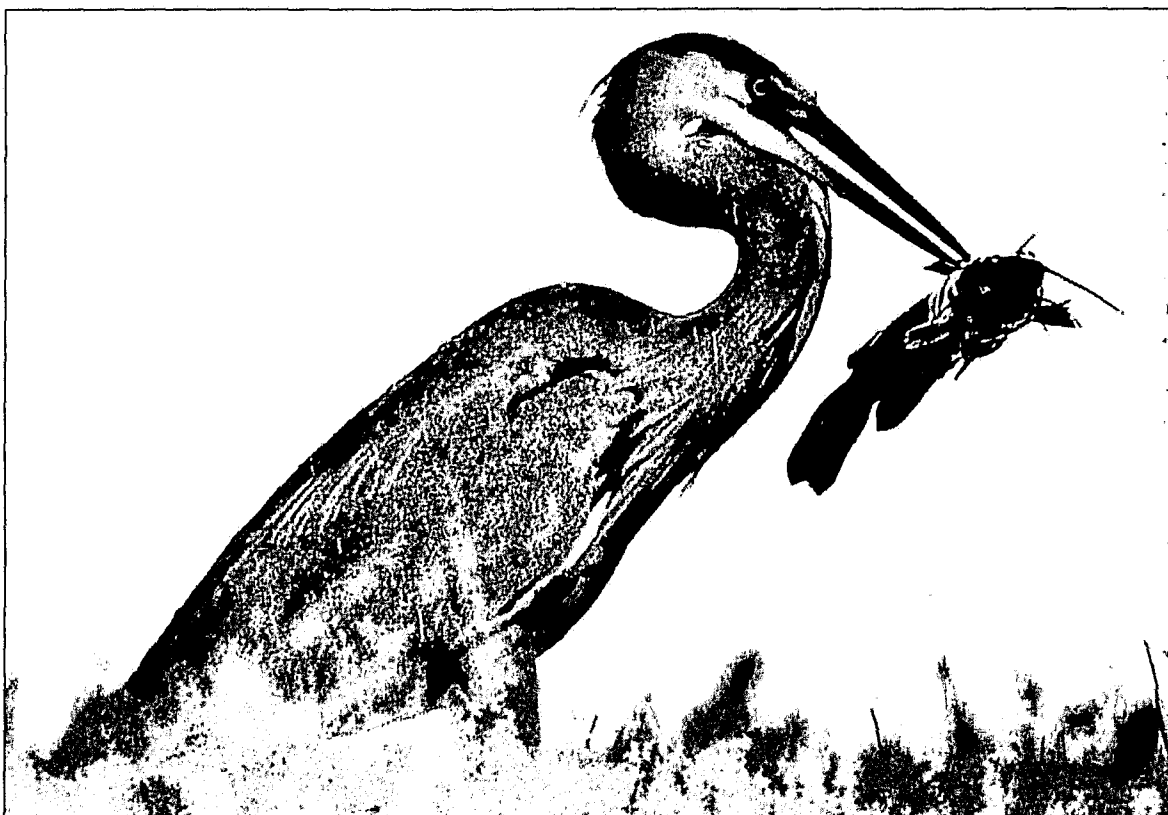
She was finally spotted at about 7 a.m. by someone leaving nearby Doonen's trailer park, Young said.

After being freed, the woman was checked by Bethel Res-

cue.

Young said he would not have been able to see the vehicle from his house, which sits on a rise overlooking Route 2, even if he had known to look.

"You had to walk to the tracks before you could see it," he said. "She must have been airborne when she went over the tracks."



NATURAL-BORN SPEARFISHER—A great blue heron gets a take-out hornpout dinner from Songo Pond. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston
Pauline Weiden of Madison, wife of Lindley Weiden, died July 1. The funeral was July 4 in Norridgewock.

The Art and Artisan Fair held on the common Saturday was a great success with beautiful weather and great attendance. Fireworks were enjoyed in the evening.

George Stebbins died June 7 in Prescott, Ariz. He is survived by his wife, Jackie; sons George Jr., Scott, Karl; and daughter, Carol Bethel. He was minister at the Methodist Church in the '60s and Jackie taught at Crescent Park School. Their address is 2874 Windcloud Drive, Prescott, AZ 86303.

Mayville News

By Donald Bennett

The airport — this week and 60 years ago: Last week's Citizen noted that four airplanes were being kept at the Bethel Airport. The four planes probably belonged to Guy Swan, Leslie Davis, Richard (Dick) Davis and Edwin Brown. Just about this date in the summer 60 years ago my cousin, Laurice Lord, and I went for our first plane ride. Leslie Davis was at the airport when my aunt, Ruth Lord, took us there in the evening to see the airplanes. Mr. Davis said that he would give us a ride but he needed a few minutes to get his son's plane, Dick's red and black Piper, ready. The Piper was a three-place plane and his Aeronca Chief (I believe or maybe it was a Super Chief) was only a two-place airplane. We paid \$2 apiece for the ride. This was the most exciting thing that Laurice and I had ever done and it was a great ride.

In 1946, the runway was pretty short. We saw lots of pine treetops at close range during the take-off. What a view we saw; it was an experience never to be forgotten. A few weeks later, for another \$2, Edwin Brown gave me a ride in his older model Aeronca. I rode behind the pilot. After circling away from the airport, Edwin turned around and asked me if I could see the tail. Of course, he knew that I could not see the

plane's tail from the back seat. Next he said, "I can't seem to feel any waggle from the rudder." After a few anxious moments, my pilot turned with a look of seriousness on his face, then laughed and told me that everything was OK.

One of the sunny days last week my grandson and I biked out to visit the airport again. We were privileged to meet and briefly talk with the Dean of Bethel Pilots, Harold Clukey, who had driven up as we were about to head over to the town's sand dome. Ashton wanted his photo taken by each of the five planes tied down near the terminal building. There were only a few entries in the airport log but the comments were rewarding: "Cheaper gas than Concord!", "Gorgeous Day," "Best Way to Visit Bethel," and "Great Facility." It was pleasing to see how clean the entire area is kept. It really is a great facility.

Mike Thurston is still hospitalized at Rumford Hospital. Excavation and road grading work has resumed at Twitchell Brook Estates. This week two excavators, a bulldozer, a roller, dump trucks and a work crew were back shaping up Mayville's newest development.

Kudos for best act of the week definitely go to Barbecue Bob at Good Food Store's under-the-pines picnic area. Saturday afternoon, the first day of the July 4th holiday weekend, was kicked off with crowd-pleasing bluegrass music by the Blue Roots band from Presque Isle. The constantly changing audience seemed to be thoroughly enjoying this unexpected afternoon band session.

Tom White's sculpture exhibit at the art show on the common included a very recently cast figure of a young boy running. This piece clearly displayed the amount of study, patient work and skill that is required to produce a statue of a moving figure. Tom told me that in August he will load all of his figures of the Christ and the children group into his truck and head for Atlanta where he will mount the group in its permanent staging.

Wet weather has made its mark on farming this summer. Potato plants look healthy and vigorous but some of our field was flooded by an extra large

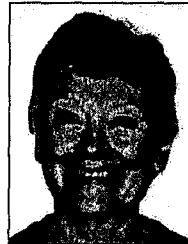
flow of run-off water from the highway. In the flooded area potatoes never sprouted. A similar run-off into the field south of our house has caused an even larger area to remain under water but this area is not cultivated.

Next door, the field of corn planted by John Carter shows ups and downs. Corn is supposed to be "knee high by the 4th of July" and corn on higher parts of the field is well above knee-high. However, a fairly large section of the field has been frequently under water and the corn is stunted. At the Art Show on Saturday, Tim Carter told me that the wet weather has severely taxed John's ability to deal with this year's hay and corn growing progress. His first crop of hay is still partly uncut and at the same time second crop hay is almost ready for cutting in other areas while the weed conditions in his nearly 120 acres of corn is calling for immediate attention.

To close this week — a message to garden admirers: take notice of Donald Chase's garden if you drive through our village. It is really a garden to be proud of.

To contact me with Mayville news please call 824-2094 or e-mail to Donald@thebetheljournal.com.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

The late Ralph Bice, a Canadian trapper, guide, and a good friend,

used to say, "Anyone who has been to Algonquin Park will be disappointed when they get to heaven." Algonquin Park in Ontario, Canada, is certainly one of our favorite places on Earth, and we have been there 35 times or so over the past 50 years, including this past week.

We go for the trout fishing — lake and speckled — and simply for the tonic of wilderness. Our children, too, have grown to love it, as have their children. This year our friends Mac and Nancy Davis of Bethel went with us again, and we had a great time together.

We all spent our first two nights in Kearney, Ontario,

with Marilyn and Rod MacKay, Ralph Bice's daughter and son-in-law. They took us over to Ralph Bice Lake where we all trolled from canoes, caught our limit of lake trout, and had a smashing shore lunch. Rod is a camp cook extraordinaire, and his pan-fried trout is the best. This beautiful lake was once called Eagle Lake, then Butt Lake, and most recently was renamed to honor our old friend and his contributions to the park.

Finally, we four canoed two and a half miles up Rain Lake on Sunday morning and settled into one of the last remaining cottages in that part of the park, which our friends the MacKays let us use. The camp is pretty primitive, but a heck of a lot more substantial than a tent. Good thing, for the week's weather was not the best, with teeming thunderstorms and downpours five days out of seven.

One day we hiked over a rough portage to Casey Lake, hoping to catch some specks. Mac, a registered Maine Guide, carried the canoe the whole way. Fortunately we had brought some rain gear, because the showers started shortly after we put our lines out, and before long we were bailing, just so we wouldn't have to sit in puddles. Eventually we gave up on fishing and went ashore to have lunch and pack up for the trip back to the camp where we could hang wet stuff to dry and figure out which meatless, fishless meal to have for supper.

Another day we had a successful morning of fishing on Moose Lake, having caught our conservation license limit of one lake trout apiece. As we started the long paddle back to the portage, we heard thunder approaching. Soon the rain started, the thunder got closer, and we quickly pulled ashore, donned rain gear, and sought some shelter from the monsoon. About a half hour later, Mac emptied both canoes of water, we reloaded and were able to finish paddling, and then we portaged over one and a quarter miles of old railroad bed. The trail was considerably wetter than that morning, with some sections resembling a stream rather than a portage path.

We caught a few other fish and had a lot more rain, but had some sunshine as well. And through it all we had the

lovely view of Rain Lake from the camp; the call of the loons; the fresh scent of balsam, spruce, and pine; a partridge on the portage, luring us from her nest; a beaver slapping his tail in anger when we ventured too close to his lodge; the pair of Canada geese and their two chicks; the ospreys who scolded us on Moose Lake for paddling too near their nest tree.

As Mike and I set out this past Sunday morning to paddle down the lake and head home, we faced a stiff headwind all the way. It was hard, but satisfying work to move that canoe down the lake — one more time in our version of Paradise.

Back home to high grass, veggies ready to harvest, mail to sort through. If you have any news to tell from the last week and a half, please get in touch: 836-3011; dhoe@megalink.net

Gilead



by Lin Chapman

It seems like it was a quiet week in Gilead. The weather

was nice on several days, but the minute we mentioned that it would be nice to use the grill in the evening, clouds rolled in and the rain began. My brother, Steve McLain, has not had to worry about whether or not his garden has been getting enough water.

There was a fire chiefs' meeting at the Town Hall on June 28. Chiefs from area fire departments gather once a month and it was Gilead's turn to host the meeting.

The GFD provided hamburgers and hot dogs for them and followed up with ice cream for dessert.

Hugh and I went to the Art Fair in Bethel this past weekend. We had a great time walking around and checking out all the great items on display. We saw a few people that we only see on these occasions and got to hear Donnie Katlin and Jewel Clark sing. Seneca Corriveau of Newry was set up for the first time at the fair to show off her artistic accomplishments. I had already seen the picture she drew of Ferdinand Corriveau (her father-in-law) and baby Jakob (her nephew).

While we were in Bethel, we stopped by the Bethel Historical Society and saw Stan, Randy and Danna. We presented a copy of "Hastings," the new book published by the GHS, to the Bethel Historical Society and left some for them to sell in the Gift Shop.

I got an e-mail from Bruna Piccin with an update on how Jack is doing. He will be undergoing yet another surgery for his fractured leg.

He's getting a little tired of doing crossword puzzles! Another few months and hopefully he'll be back in full swing, or at least able to walk with two crutches. He was down to a cane in May but he's had a setback so he won't be playing tennis or kayaking for a while. Bruna's son, Joe, is getting married in Boston soon and after those festivities they'll be heading to Maine Medical once again.

Planning Board

Reminder: A Planning Board meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on July 6 (tonight) at the Town Hall. The agenda is posted at the Town Hall, Town Office and Transfer Station. Contact Jack Pucak at 836-2729 for information related to the meeting. Applications for such work may be obtained at the Town Office.

Gilead Historical Society
Now that the Friends and Family Day has come and gone, we can relax a little and take our time to get ready for the next event in Gilead, which will be the Annual Meeting and Potluck Supper on Sept. 23 at the Town Hall.

When I was reading through the names on the Guest Book for the Friends and Family Day, I noticed a Bill and Sheila Brown from Gilead/Westbrook. The following is the e-mail I received from Bill this past week:

"Billy Brown, born in Bethel in 1934 where the Bensons now live on the North Road, played host to 35 members of his family and their spouses on Saturday and Sunday, June 24th and 25th at the family camp in Gilead. Luck would have it the weather turned to sunshine Saturday afternoon into Sunday. Bill and wife Sheila went up on Friday to prepare for the outing and be able to spend some fun time at the Family Day in Gilead. Sheila said, 'it was a lot of fun and the hot dogs and cookies were delicious.'



The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department

Some people say that baseball is America's favorite pastime. Anglers will argue that point saying that fishing is America's favorite pastime. If you have ever gone to a flea market, you just might argue that bargain hunting is probably America's favorite pastime. I think they're all wrong because I happen to know what America's favorite pastime really is — EATING!

I'm a first class eater myself which my abundant girth will testify to it. For some strange and grossly unfair reason, there are people who can eat whatever, whenever, however much and never gain an ounce. I am not one of those people.

So devoted am I to this form of enjoyment that I have been known to travel the 80+ miles up the coast of Maine to Moody's Diner just for a piece of their famous pie. A bit obsessive I admit, but since I always have to wait for a seat when I get there, I guess I'm not the only compulsive eater around.

I do thoroughly enjoy eating out at a restaurant. Being the chief cook and bottle washer at home, it is not just the food that appeals to me, but having someone else serve me the food of my choice that I didn't have to prepare and that I don't have to clean up after is quite an attraction too. And it's an added bonus when someone else is treating and I don't even have to pay for it either.

I have eaten in several different kinds of restaurants throughout my life and one thing I have discovered is the fancier and more expensive the restaurant, the smaller the portions of food. It doesn't make sense to me that I can go to a greasy spoon hash house and get a whopping serving of good food for a reasonable price or I can go to an eatery of elegance known for haute

cuisine and be served barely enough to feed a bird and pay dearly for it to boot. I'm sure for many less compulsive eaters, ambiance is worth paying for, but I can't eat ambiance, so it doesn't matter.

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Another discovery I've made is that restaurants automatically assume that everyone in the world likes pickles and tartar sauce. I think it's a nice touch to serve condiments with the meal, but not all over it! Pickles and tartar sauce are among the very few things that I don't like and it really annoys me to have them slopped all over my French fries, which I really do like. Cole slaw is another one of those things that I don't care for, but I can't tell you how many times I have found it coating my fried clams.

All in all my eating out experiences have been very pleasant and I try not to let misplaced condiments get me down. Even in instances when I have been served sandwiches soggy with pickle juice, I still tip the waitress (excuse me, waitperson, one must not assume that it is always a woman); it is not the waitpersons' fault.

I feel that if the service has been good the waitperson has earned a tip. They are usually not paid very well and they spend their entire shift on their feet catering to the whims and demands of hungry people. Sometimes they have to endure rude people with disgusting eating habits, all the while smiling and putting the needs of the slob who's spraying spaghetti all over the place first. And these are the people

who probably don't leave a tip.

There have been occasions, though not often, when I felt the waitperson didn't have anything coming. Like the time my husband, children and I went to a restaurant and the waitress handed me all the silverware and said "You probably know where it goes better than I do." That in itself would not have prevented me from leaving a tip, but when the food came and she put it on the table in a heap saying "You figure it out, you know what you ordered," I felt no tip was required.

I'm probably one of the easiest customers a waitperson could want. I'm just so happy to be there having someone wait on me so I can do my favorite thing, which is eating, that I'm one easy going diner. They say that music soothes the savage beast, but for me, if the savage beast is cooked just right I'm about as soothed as you can get.

Not only is eating the great American pastime, but it also provides jobs. Can you imagine what it would be like if we only ate what we should at meal time at home. There would be no reason for restaurants and that would put a lot of people out of work. There would be less heart disease and that would put a lot of cardiovascular specialists in the unemployment lines. Everyone would wear smaller size clothing and that would cripple the textile industry, and all the weight loss organizations would not exist leading to more out of work people.

The way I see it, my love of eating is a lot more than the compulsion of a weakling; it's my patriotic way of feeding the economy. So let's not worry about calories — let's do lunch — it's the American way and the right thing to do.

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14 In the lead
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27 Susan of "L.A. Law"
28 Forsake
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131 End of remark
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4 Onassis' nickname
5 Actress Sandra
6 Spice Girl
7 — carolene
8 Dash
9 Pot holder?
10 Big name in cruises
11 Chicken — king
12 Bucket
13 Fiesta target
14 Gregory's "On the Beach" co-star
15 Crone
16 Makes merry
17 St. Francis' home
18 Terminal
28 Acid
30 Force out
32 Rope fiber
34 Famed photographer
35 "Too Late" ('71 hit)
37 At — and sevens
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42 Molten rock
43 Perpetual lab
44 Rock's — assistant
45 Sane
46 The sound of little bells
53 Minnesota town
55 Spare fare
57 It becomes ewe?
58 Stocking shade
59 Artist
61 Benjamin home
64 "Willard" extras
65 Subject
68 Curly coil
70 Chemical ending
71 "A Kiss Before —" (1911 film)
74 Comic Carvey
75 Spring flower
76 Skater
77 Flightless birds
78 High-flying birds
79 Become a blond
80 Shabby
87 Stops

89 It may be spare
90 Winter vehicle
92 Big rig
93 Textbook heading
94 Emulate
96 "Scat!"
98 In a morose manner
102 Diving bird
103 A whole bunch
105 Cathedral area
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108 Odysseus' home
109 Emergency
110 Puff, for one
111 It's down in the mouth
112 With hands on hips
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Super Crossword

Brake shoes

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"The reunion was in the works for several months with the help of Bill's sister-in-law, Connie and sister, Barbara. Everyone chipped in with the food and extras for the picnic. Doug Brown, son of Connie, came all the way from North Carolina.

"On Saturday night 12 of us sat around the campfire and told stories about the fun we all had in past years. The rest of the clan came on Sunday and everyone had a great time especially the children. Many at the party went to Sunday River and White's Brook to cool off. We are blessed to be able to enjoy this wonderful area. We love the beauty and the people."

It was nice to see that the Brown's took full advantage of the idea of what "Friends and Family Day" was all about.

The Bethel Historical Society will have an exhibit opening on July 25 on Senator William S. Cohen, "Cohen, Congress, and Controversy: Rediscovering Civics in the Archives," which is sponsored by the University of Maine's Folger Library in Orono and co-hosted by the Bethel and Gil-ead Historical societies. The exhibit will be from 6 to 7:15 p.m. at the Robinson House and will be followed by a lecture by Christian P. Potholm, DeAlva Stanwood Alexander Professor of Government at Bowdoin College, at 7:30 p.m. at Mason House Exhibit Hall.

The exhibit will follow the route of Cohen's campaign walk in 1972 from the New Hampshire border in Gilead and ended in Fort Kent.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

The bottle drive to raise funds for the Gardner Roberts Memorial Library is

off to a great start. The program leader, Sarah Moir, a 13-year-old summer resident of Howard Pond, thanks all that have already contributed to the cause. Roadside pickups will continue on Sunday, July 9, and Sunday, July 16, starting at 10 a.m. along Main Street, Howard Pond Road, Mill Hill Road and South

Shore Road. Donated returnable bottles and cans need to be boxed or bagged and left at the end of your driveway. The drop site is available all day every day for Hanover area residents who wish to help out. Just leave your bottles and cans at the cargo trailer at the parking lot at the Hanover Town Office.

Plumbago Mountain Timber and Quarries acquired a new machine to assist them with their activities. A new Komatsu PC 400 equipped with an aggressive rock hammer arrived Wednesday. The machine was provided through negotiations with R.C. Hazleton Co., Inc. Company officials demonstrated the rock-breaking capabilities Wednesday evening by pulverizing a field rock in the pasture at Plumbago Mountain Farm.

Earlier last week at Plumbago Mountain Farm, during broad daylight and while a crew was working in the farmyard a coyote snuck out of the forest, grabbed a laying hen, and scurried back into the woods.

Meanwhile in Hanover Village a bear visited Joan Everett's yard again. This early morning visit provided Joan with the opportunity for some great pictures.

Hanover officials report that the 2005 tax year came to an end at the end of the business day on June 30. Those who missed the deadline will likely get their names "in the book" and other notoriety as the unpaid tax nears the tax lien status.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

The benefit supper for John "Gootsch" Gauthier on Saturday

seemed to be very successful. I didn't stay long, but the parking yard was full and cars had to park in the street as people came to enjoy the event along with the food and socializing. Several members of the Gauthier family were there. Gootsch wasn't present, but we know he would have been had he felt able to. Wayne Hakala greeted everyone at the door and his wife was just inside selling raffle tickets.

There was lots of activity at the Bear River Grange Hall this week. Wednesday, June 28, many people were planting the new sugar maple and river birch trees. On Thursday the grounds looked so much better, especially the placement of the trees. Bruce Pierce and his crew of Outward Bound workers did the labor along with help from Brenda Wight and Rick Clark.

Kevin Wight is undergoing basic training in Oklahoma. He reported that it was very hot and that he is homesick but doing OK.

Erosion Control Training will be held on Thursday, July 27 at 6:30 p.m. at the Newry Town Office.

The other night a polyphemus moth was on the window. I was quite surprised to see it there the next morning. In fact it stayed all day and as it got dark fluttered a bit. I missed seeing it leave around 9:30 p.m. At first I thought it was an io moth, but the book I used for identification definitely said it was not. It is one of the very few very large moths.

Recently the hummingbirds are eating two feeders of sugar water each day. I guess they must be feeding little ones. It is also interesting to watch the hairy woodpeckers feed their babies, some just about as big as the parents.

News from the Town Office: The Board of Selectmen meet on the first and third Monday of each month. The Planning Board members meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Their agendas are posted at the Town Office. If you need more information about these meetings you may call the office at 824-3123. All meetings at the Town Office are open to the public.

"Everyday look at a beautiful picture, read a beautiful poem, listen to some beautiful music and if possible, say some sensible thing." A quote from Goethe.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

Florence Hastings went for a ride with Irene and

Teri up toward the Rangeley Lakes area on the 30th of June. They went up to Umbagog Lake and then over to Mooselookung Lake. Along the way there were moose and deer to be seen. They had a picnic lunch. All had a very nice trip.

Esther Wilson hosted a big Independence Day celebration on July 1, as her nephew, Jarrod Crockett, was home for a week. Esther said they are going to have to get Jarrod to Boston at 5 in the morning of the Fourth.

Jack Nordahl's sister from

DBA: Root Cellar

Cheryl Heath has recently joined Gail Weston as a stylist at the Root Cellar, located on Main Street in Bethel. Heath graduated from Capilo Institute of Augusta in April. She does perms, colors, highlights and foils, as well as cuts, for men, women and children. Anyone asking to be booked with Cheryl will receive \$5 off any chemical service during the month of July. Heath is looking forward to meeting new people and seeing old friends. Hours are Tuesday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (walk-ins welcome), and Saturday by appointment. Call 824-3452.



California, sister from Connecticut, brother from New Jersey and cousin from Florida have been visiting at the Nordahl's recently.

Rudi and Barbara Honkala have returned from a trip to Falls Church, Va. Vikki Honkala of Dallas, Texas, came. All stayed at Kristina Honkala's home. All had gathered for a wedding. This happened between a let up in the rain. It was sunny going down and one day while in Virginia, plus the half day for the wedding. It rained coming back and Barbara and Rudi had to dodge all the flooded rivers and towns. They made it!

If you have any news, give me a ring at 824-3350. I hope all had a nice Fourth. We are lucky we didn't get the rains that Maryland up to New York got recently.

Have a nice week. God Bless the Troops.

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

It was nice to see the sunshine as I returned home from a week

at Ferry Beach, Saco, for we had had only one day of sun. It did come out on Friday as I prepared to go home.

I was there for work week at the Unitarian Universalist Church Camp.

We worked every morning leaving the afternoons and evenings to play. Every morning for me was a pleasant walk on the beach at 6 a.m. Few others were up at that hour.

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South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing
Sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Mabel Ferris,

who died in an accident recently.

Kellie Wing spends some of her time taking care of her youngest grandson, Landon. He is six months old and a real cutie. She brought him up last Sunday. I always enjoy seeing them all.

Sunday afternoon, we all went to the housewarming for Ryan and Brandy Seames. They have a beautiful home here on Curtis Hill. A good crowd attended, as everyone was anxious to see the inside of the home, which is as nice as the outside. They received many nice gifts and we all had a good time visiting with everyone. I wish them the best.

Happy 50th anniversary to Frank and Gloria Frazer, who are celebrating this month. They are our neighbors and you could not ask for any better. We wish them many more years together.

The State Highway Crew are almost done fixing the section near our home. Looks great!

We seem to have rain about every day. I hope everyone is having a good summer in spite of it.

I have three cats, Daisy, Suzi and Shawna. We really enjoy them and spoil them a lot. They all have different personalities.

Quote of the Week: "I have learned that housework is something a woman does but no one notices until she does not do it."



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BID ON ME—The recent Bethel Rotary Club auction and yard sale raised more than \$13,000, with the proceeds going to support various Rotary efforts such as scholarships for Telstar graduates and community service projects. Here, auctioneer/Rotarian Dave Murphy looks for bids on a figurine that appeared to be eager for a new home. (Photo: Andree Kehn)

Mason



by Richard Grover

Two weeks ago, on Thursday evening, Mona and I were shocked by a phone call from Mona's granddaughter, who announced that a CAP aircraft had crashed shortly after take-off from Bethel airport with a pilot and three CAP cadets aboard. Our initial feelings were of shock, thinking some of our cadets from the Rumford CAP squadron might have been aboard, because they sometimes take orientation flights from Bethel. A quick phone call to the Maine Wing CAP director of operations revealed that no CAP aircraft were flying that day, leaving us wondering how such a mistaken rumor had started. Only later was it revealed that some Air Force junior ROTC cadets were involved, their uniforms leading observers to

think they were CAP cadets. Of course, that did not lessen the tragedy of losing three young people, but somehow it isn't as much of a shock when you don't know the individuals involved.

Monday of last week Snuffy and I started our four-day, 33-mile hike on the Appalachian Trail from Route 27, near Stratton to where the "AT" crosses Route 4 between Phillips and Rangeley. This route took us over Crocker, South Crocker, Sugarloaf, Spaulding, Saddleback and the Horn mountains, all but Spaulding over 4,000 feet elevation (Spaulding is 3,988 feet high).

We began with the nearly five-mile ascent of Crocker. This took until about 1 p.m., due to our late start and my gentle pace because I was unsure how well my legs would hold up to carrying a 50-pound pack.

As we slowly ascended, I became aware of the solitude;

the only sounds were a gentle sighing of the wind through the trees and the gentle buzz of mosquitoes, circling and trying to penetrate the Deet cloud I had surrounded myself with. About two hours after we started, I was startled by a young lady hiker headed north. As we chatted briefly, I learned she was a "through hiker" and had started on Springer Mountain, Ga., on March 8. She told me she had been averaging 23 or 24 miles per day until she reached New Hampshire. Since then, the mountains had cut her pace to about 14 or 15 miles per day. This made my planned eight miles per day sound puny by comparison.

As Snuffy and I later crossed the ridge between Crocker and South Crocker, I watched the clouds thicken and began hearing a distant rumble of thunder off to the west. As we descended into Caribou Valley to our first intended campsite about eight miles from our start, the thunder rumbled louder, and I saw occasional flashes of lightning on the horizon. As the thunder got louder, the trail descended more steeply, over a jumble of rocks left by landslide or glacier. Then I noticed Snuffy panting and beginning to search around under scrub fir trees for a place to lie down; I also heard his pack scraping through the thick fir limbs. I thought he was hot and tired. Then he returned to his usual position on the trail, about 75 yards ahead. About then, I needed a break, and sat on a rock the right height to offload my pack; I whistled for Snuffy to come back so I could remove his pack as well. As he reappeared, no pack adorned his back! Then it dawned on me that, rather than being hot, he was actually upset by the thunder and must have shed his pack back under those fir trees. Back up the trail I retrieved his pack. Whew! I won-

dered how I would feed Snuffy without the dog food he was carrying.

With thunder and lightning getting closer we hurried the final mile to the campsite, a scattered collection of wooden tent platforms without cover. Hurriedly erecting the tent, I finished about 10 minutes before it started pouring, thunder and lightning all around. I crawled into the tent and spent the next hour lying on my sleeping bag, with Snuffy snuggled as close as he could get. Finally, the rain eased enough that I fixed Snuffy's dog food and my supper. We finished eating just in time for the rain to return, and I went to bed. It was about 7:15 p.m.

Next morning dawned cool and humid, with remnants of clouds obscuring some of the valleys and covering the mountain tops, but sunny where we were. Shortly after beginning the day's hike, we encountered the first real hurdle, the south branch of the Carrabassett River. It was not very wide, but filled with fast water and littered with boulders. Fortunately, somebody had placed a 2x10 plank atop a couple boulders spanning the main channel in midstream, too wide to jump over. There were plenty of rocks leading from both shores to the plank, which spanned about six or eight feet of fast water. The only remaining challenge was the wet plank itself, which looked slippery. Snuffy made two or three trips over the plank before I summoned the courage to try it. No problem!

From the river, the trail made a steep ascent to within a half mile of the Sugarloaf summit, where it veered south, away from the summit. Only a couple openings along the shoulders of the mountain revealed views of the valleys and mountains to the west. At the point where the AT veers southward, another side trail

leads to Sugarloaf summit; Snuffy and I left our packs beside the trail and made the side trip to the summit, which sports three towers. One is a microwave relay tower, one a cell tower, and I don't know what the other was for. Cell phone coverage was clear from there, but the clouds and haze seemed to be hanging on in the distance. Otherwise, the views were spectacular. We spent little time at the summit because I feared bears or some other critters might get into our packs. Besides, we had miles to go before we were to sleep.

Spaulding Mountain lay about two miles across a wooded saddle from Sugarloaf, and we topped this one in little more than an hour from Sugarloaf. Spaulding is wooded all the way to the summit, with only limited views provided by a couple narrow paths hacked out of the scrub spruce trees. Another mile brought us to a camping shelter, much too early to stop for the day. I determined to camp near one of the streams in the five or six mile wide valley between Spaulding and Saddleback Mountains. With limited visibility through the forest canopy, I had not noticed the approach of some more dark clouds.

A mile from the Spaulding Mountain shelter, another side trail leads to Mt. Abraham. The summit was too far off the AT for me, 1.5 miles. I paid little attention to the trail sign that said something about Lone Mountain, which did not even show on my map. About one mile and 40 minutes of continuous uphill hiking another thundershower bore down on us. As the rain began to pelt down, I put a plastic trash bag over my pack and my \$1.75 plastic poncho over my head,

and Snuffy and I hunkered down among the small fir and birch trees to wait a let-up in the rain. About a half hour later the rain lessened enough that I determined to continue on to a suitable camping place by a stream. As we resumed walking, I encountered another sign: "Lone Mountain Summit, 3250 feet." No wonder we've been climbing uphill for so long! At least, it was now downhill to streams and water. With everything dripping wet, I took extra care of foot placement to guard against a painful fall. At about 5:30 p.m., I finally found a reasonably level spot trailsides beside a rain-swollen brook. "I'm stopping here before it starts raining harder and before it gets darker, Snuffy." With mist and drizzle continuing, Snuffy and I sacked out about 7:30 p.m. again, after a hot meal and coffee.

Next morning, we were up before 5 a.m. and on the trail shortly after 6. The day dawned sunny, cool and crystal clear, perfect for hiking. Buoyed by the beautiful morning and the fact that my legs and shoulders felt good, I looked forward to crossing the wide valley and reaching the views atop Saddleback. Typically, the valley was far from level, and we descended steeply for a mile or two until we reached Orbeter Stream. Any level areas of trail were muddy and required extra care to avoid the mud and mossy rocks due to my legs tiring and the increased danger of falling. I met a couple more northbound and a pair of southbound hikers along the way. It struck me how all the "through hikers" seemed more intent on covering miles than on the views. Nobody seemed interested in leaving the AT to reach Sugarloaf summit or anything else

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not on the trail. They were "on a mission."

Orbeter Stream was another obstacle, requiring a change of pace. Too wide to jump across and just deep enough to cover some of the stepping stones, the only solution was to ford it. I removed my hiking boots and secured them inside the top of my pack, determined to wade across barefoot. Taking secure hold of my hiking stick for balance and extreme caution with foot placement on the round, slippery underwater stones, I safely crossed the 10 yards of fast-flowing, cold, knee-deep water. A couple hours later of continuous uphill progress brought us to Poplar Ridge and another shelter, again at an elevation of just over 3,100 feet. Interestingly, I saw not a single poplar tree on Poplar Ridge, and one of the hikers resting in the shelter read from his trail guide that someone named the place that just for that perverse reason. I stopped long enough to fill both my water bottles because the trail guides state that water is scarce along the five miles, or so, of Saddleback Mt. and the ridges leading to and from the summits. Of course, with all the rain I wasn't really worried about water, just being prepared.

Another mile and a half of steep climbing brought us to the summit of Saddleback Junior at 3,640 feet. This "hill" provided the first spectacular views since Sugarloaf summit, and the crystal-clear air revealed a vast panorama of green mountains stretching to the horizon in all directions. The towers atop Sugarloaf were visible across the valley in the distance; I've come that far in just 26 hours? Wow! The Horn of Saddleback loomed about two miles to the west-southwest across another valley. Sadly, the valley meant another steep descent, followed by the effort by a now tiring body to regain the lost altitude plus another 400 feet to reach Horn summit.

The Horn is another jumble of granite slabs and boulders stacked at rather precipitous angles. There were several places where the trail went over granite steps too high for Snuffy to scale unaided. I'd remove his pack, toss it up onto the rocks and lift Snuffy high enough that he could scramble up and disappear up the trail. My own pack was getting heavier with the effort, but it was still considerably lighter than when I started due to food consumption. A short distance from the summit, Snuffy disappeared into the scrub fir trees. Then I could hear his pack scraping among the fir limbs. After I summoned him several times, Snuffy emerged triumphant; he had scraped his pack off and went loping up the trail without it. I doffed my pack and struggled into the fir thicket to get Snuffy's pack. I decided to give him a break and carry the pack the rest of the way to the summit for him. The views from the summit exceeded those spectacular ones from Saddleback Junior. They now included Rangeley Lake and parts of numerous other lakes and ponds. What pleased me most was the view of the trail from the Horn to Saddleback summit, another mile and a half to the southwest. The trail is visible all the way, following exposed granite through scattered scrub firs, cranberry bushes and other alpine shrubs and flowers, along with wet, mossy dips between ledges. This would be easy walking, for a change.

By now, it was late afternoon, and I determined to find a camping spot as soon as possible after reaching Saddleback summit, as the next shelter was a good four or five miles beyond the summit. The weather was perfect, bright sun, cool clear air and a light breeze from the northwest. I put Snuffy's pack back on him, and he trotted off down the trail ahead. He is pretty good at reading those rock cairn trail markers and easily followed the trail even over the open ledges. I'm not sure who taught him about trail markers and white paint stripes

designating the AT. Another hour and more rock scrambling brought us at last to Saddleback summit, except that there are three or more summits of rock slabs; the only way the real summit could be recognized was by the signpost at the top. One of the other "summits" was marked with a bright orange sign designating a trail to the Saddleback ski area.

From Saddleback summit, the AT leads southwest along the crest of a ridge of exposed granite for another mile, or so. I tried to find a suitable place to set up my tent in a sheltered spot just off the trail and out of the wind, which I feared might be much colder by morning. I wanted to watch the sunset from the ridge-top. No such luck, so we continued down the trail until we re-entered the woods.

Another half mile or so led us through small clearings filled with blown down trees and brush and terrain too steep to camp on. Finally, we descended another great granite slab, which sheltered a small opening right at the side of the trail. It was far from level, but both Snuffy and I were too tired to care after more than 12 hours on the trail. At least, it was dry, and there was a step which made a convenient place to set up my tiny camp stove. A hot meal, and I was ready for bed. It was 8:30 p.m.

Next morning, my last on the trail, I was eating breakfast before 6. I had just enough water to fix my broccoli-cheese with rice: not enough for coffee too. Through all the preparations, Snuffy never moved. He was still tired. I gave him the last of my breakfast, and he didn't even have the energy for that. Glimpses through the tree canopy revealed a kind of milky sky. I wanted to make the highway before it rained again. A couple more miles downhill brought us to the final shelter on my planned route. We stopped there to rest, make coffee and converse with a couple camped there. Turns out, it was a woman and her son; the son was a northbound through hiker, his mother just "over-nighting." She had brought him a new pair of hiking boots; his old ones had worn out, and replacement boots, obtained in Vermont, had lasted only five days before the eyelets began pulling out.

Two more miles downhill brought us to Route 4 between Phillips and Rangeley, at last.

Snuffy and I rinsed off in the stream and climbed the last few hundred feet to the road and trail parking lot. It was about 10:20 a.m., and I was just getting my last clean tee shirt out of my pack when Mona drove into the parking lot. She met me with an ice cold beer in her hand. A perfect ending to a great hike!

Locke Mills



by Lorraine Larson

Every now and then I run across something that re-

minds me of how far apart the world's view of things is from that of the view of the Christian disciple who follows what Jesus taught. The discussion was about the billionaire who just gave away billions of his money to a charitable foundation. It was mentioned that the man left some to his children so they "would have money enough to do anything they wanted but not enough so that they could do nothing." Since the man did not declare a vow of poverty, I also assume that he left himself enough to "see him through" as the saying goes. Perhaps he can even make many more billions with what he has left before he leaves this earth, since he looks pretty robust to me.

But that is beside the point. What caught my ear was the comment that one person made and that was that: "it is the most unselfish act I have ever heard of." Really! Jesus said that what was given out of plenty paled in comparison to the widow who gave two coins, all that she had to live on. Now that is the most unselfish act ever heard of. Nothing else compares.

That does not mean that we should belittle his gift or him. The Bible also says to "touch not the oil and wine" because the world needs it to survive; but, we also need to keep things in perspective. We should be grateful that those who can, give generously, but, when those who cannot, give generously, that is the most unselfish act. God rewards the heart, not the amount.

I cannot believe computers sometimes. According to everything I have heard computers are supposed to do what you tell them to. Not mine. I told it to send an e-mail to the paper with my news last week but it apparently didn't get



REALTOR OF THE YEAR—Cindy Hiebert, center, broker/owner of Mahosuc Realty in Bethel, was the surprised recipient of the 2006 Realtor of the Year Award for the Western Maine Board of Realtors at the annual Realtor of the Year banquet recently held at Migis Lodge in Casco. Deb Larson, 2005 recipient and Ed Nista, Board president, both of New Suncook Real Estate in Lovell are shown congratulating Cindy. Cindy has been board secretary for the past two years, a director of the Maine Association of Realtors at the state level, director of the Realtor Foundation and a director for the Maine Certified Residential Specialist Board. She also serves as a corporator at Franklin Savings Bank and a member of the Board of Directors for Ski Maine. Cindy will represent the Western Maine Board in the Maine Realtor of the Year competition to be held this October at the MAR State Convention at the Samoset Resort in Rockport. The Western Maine Board of Realtors consists of some 295 realtor members, 56 real estate offices and 14 affiliate members and encompasses 34 towns in Western Maine.

there. So here I go again.

My daughter, Marcia Smith, has returned home to Easton after spending two weeks visiting me. She got to spend one day visiting friends in Dryden and Wilton, her old stomping grounds and spent a couple days with her childhood friend, Jackie Crockett Libby. They had a good time from what I hear. Jackie even brought over her sister Esther's dog, Muffin, to show me how much she looked like my Princess because Marcia really wanted me to see her. And she does except she is smaller and her tail curls over her back. She is very cute and sweet and is obviously very attached to her family, although she did allow me to hold her for a bit, which shows that she has a lot better disposition than Princess ever had. Princess might have not bitten you if you picked her up but she would have shown her teeth and growled her displeasure. The first thing she ever did to me when I first tried to pat her was take my fingers in her mouth and nibble on them, growling all the while. It did not endear me to her and it took several months before she decided I was OK and I decided she was.

A couple years later Andy accused me of stealing his dog when she wouldn't go to him without permission from me. Hey, I don't know how it hap-

pened it just did. It has been a year and a half since I lost her and I still miss her dreadfully.

But, back to Marcia. The rest of the time she was here, she helped me change my bedroom around and I still am trying to get all the stuff we took out of there bagged up to go to the dump. I have decided most of the stuff I was trying to save wouldn't mean anything to anyone but me so why have it taking up space and making me work keeping it picked up and stored somewhere. I like the empty bedroom look I have now. And it is a lot easier to get around in.

On the last Saturday she was here I took her to Jay to the house belonging to her brother-in-law, Don Smith, and wife, Jane. They were planning to go to Houlton to see brother Phillip and wife, Catrina, and children, Katherine and Jonathan, who were up from North Carolina visiting Phil and Don's parents, Clair and Patty Smith. So Marcia was pleased to get a ride up to the "County" with them.

I was glad to have gotten her to Jay safely when two days later the car had alternator problems and died in front of Dr. Stuer's, where I had taken Buddy, who was not feeling well. But that's a whole other story. Once again my

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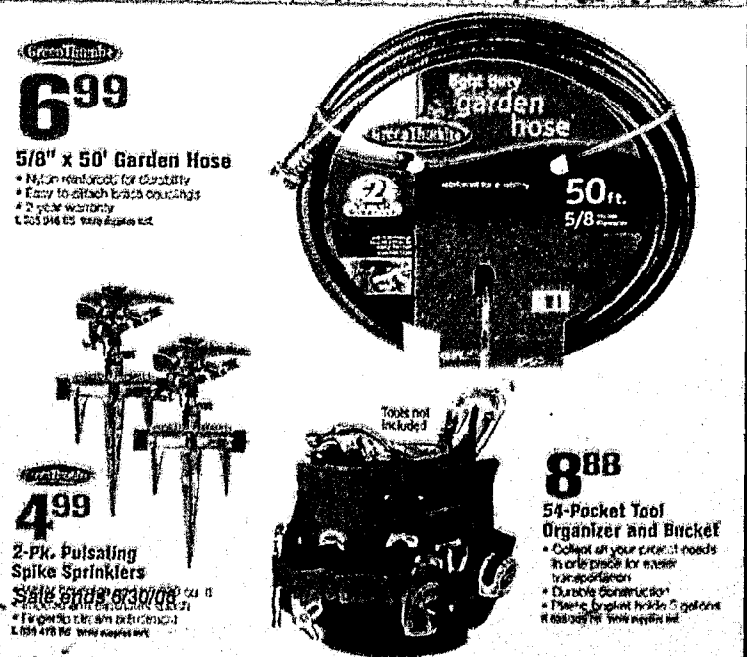
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Kelsey Dole, St. Michael's College
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Jessica Farrington, Endicott College
Lindsay Hart, Emmanuel College
Jillian Kimball, St. Joseph's College of Maine
Kyle Kuvaja, St. Joseph's College of Maine
Kimberly Lauro, Bay Path College
Kayla Mills, Simmons College
Elizabeth Rosenberg, Simmons College
Randy Savage, Winthrop University
Danna Wilson, New Haven University

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Remington Award, Kayla Mills
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Andover Calvary Bible Church Academic Assistance Award: Jessica Farrington
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Anna Barker Award: Kimberly Lauro

Annie Crockett Foundation Scholarship Awards:

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Bethel Rescue Educational Assistance Award: Sarah Swan

Bethel Rotary Club Memorial Educational Assistance Awards:

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Mathematics, Melissa Yasko

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Masonic Grand Lodge of Maine Scholarship: Joshua Noyes

Melmac Education Foundation Scholarship: Marissa Corriveau

Michael Brooks Memorial Scholarship: Elizabeth Rosenberg

Michael Brooks Most Outstanding Senior Athlete Award: Elizabeth Rosenberg

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VOGTS, MLT HOST GARDEN GATHERING—The Mahoosuc Land Trust last week hosted "Sunday in Janie's Garden" at Jane Vogt's home in Bethel. Cindy Tibbetts of Hummingbird Farm in Turner gave a presentation on the clematis plant, entitled, "Clematis: Queen of the Flowering Vines." Kathleen DeVore of Bethel played her flute for an hour during lunch. Vogt is pictured here in her garden with her husband, Frank.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

trusted mechanic, Art Henley, came through for me and has me back on the road. I trust my mechanic but I sure don't trust cars much!

Lorene Mills has been some nights with her mother, Laura Hutchins, who has been trying out some new medication to help her manage the pain from her back. Laura has as bad a time adjusting to new medications as I do. Anyhow, Laura has had quite a time with back and leg problems, which came on quite suddenly. I can't quite remember what happened because there have been so many people I have heard about with problems of one kind or another that I can't keep them straight. Even Don Smith fell last winter and broke some bones in his foot and after two operations is still not allowed to be on his feet more than nine minutes every hour. Stuff happens!

Guess I had better see if I can get this onto an e-mail before the computer crashes. Hope you all had a good holiday.

Last week's column:

I would take it that we no longer have a low-water table after all the rain and still more to come, so the weather people all say. Andy always said we should have a boat!

My daughter, Marcia Smith, from Easton, up there in "The County" returned home Sunday after spending a couple weeks here at the Larson-Mills home. While she was here she helped me rearrange my bedroom and I still have a mound of boxes to go through that are piled at the end of the kitchen after being thrown unceremoniously out of the bedroom. I have decided that less is more and am going to

be ruthless with my culling of stuff. I like having the space to move around in, plus I have more clothes than is respectable and I am going to have to reduce those, too. One of the troubles with that is one has to have about three sets of clothes, one for winter, one for summer, and one for the transition months of spring and fall. This is Maine, after all. Anyhow, as I told her I really didn't expect her to have to come and work but that bedroom was more than I had courage to tackle on my own. It did give us a chance to visit though. She did spend a couple of days with her childhood pal, Jackie Crockett Libby, which was fun for both of them, as they hadn't had a chance to get together for a long time. She also spent one day visiting friends in the Dryden/Wilton area.

Marcia went with me last Thursday night at Praise Assembly of God to hear "The Last Generation" who put on a concert. They were very good. She also attended church with me Wednesday evening, and on Sunday, Ralph and Lorene had a cookout for her the last Saturday she was here and after that I took her to Jay to Don and Jane Smith's so she could go up with them when they went to Houlton to see brother Phillip, Catalina, and their children, Katherine and Jonathan, North Carolina, who were up visiting his parents, R. Clair and Patty Smith. I am glad she didn't have to ride the bus back, but it seems as though the time when she is here just flies by no matter how long it is.

I can remember how hard it was to be apart from my husband, though, so I am grate-

ful for any time I can get. I was glad I only had to go to Jay as a couple days later my car got sick. I haven't found out yet if it is a terminal illness. Somehow it makes us a little nervous to be down to one vehicle.

Speaking of that one vehicle, Lorene was taking me to Bethel, Thursday evening, so I could spend the night with Ann Fitzmorris, when just as we entered the village we saw blue lights flashing behind us. She pulled over all the while thinking, "what have I done to deserve such an honor," and couldn't think of anything. It turned out that the license plate's light had gone out. Of course he had to check the usual registration and insurance, only it being Ralph's vehicle, Lorene didn't know where he kept them and had to shuffle through papers to find those and also to find her license. The policeman was very nice and patient, which was a good thing as poor Lorene was a nervous wreck by the time she found everything.

By the time she returned home Ralph was in a state because she was so much later than he thought she would be and not having my car, he was stuck at home. We think the lights probably burned out

when he was boosting my car to try to get me home when mine conked out at Dr. Stuer's. (We could only get it as far as the Town Hall so there it sits.) It has been a week!

I have been nursing a sick cat. I blithely told Dr. Stuer that I would get pills into him even though he is not a good pill taker. Famous last words! I have, by sacrificing a finger with each pill, given him two of them. I have eight to go, just the right number for the fingers I have left, my daughter-in-law pointed out. Actually, I still have my fingers, I just have several holes in each of the two of them. I only had two Band-Aids, and have used them so I shall have to get some more for the others, as I am sure things will only get worse. He was a buzz saw taking the second one. I would have had many scratches, I am sure, if Dr. Stuer had not clipped his nails when he found out he didn't take medicine well. Actually not many cats do. I think out of the thirty-seven or so cats I have had in my lifetime I have only had two that dutifully opened their mouths and took down the pills that I gave them. Liquid is better, but not all meds come in liquid form, unfortunately. Of course, at the vet's they open their mouths wide and he flips the pill in. They have no such respect for their owners.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m.; morning worship at 10:30 a.m.; choir practice at 5 p.m.; evening service at 6 p.m.; Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting.

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Looking ahead to July 29 and 30 when the church will observe their 150th anniversary. On Saturday, July 29, at 11 a.m. the dedication service speaker will be Dr. Robbie Morrison. Music by the Taubl family (a family of nine who will sing and play instruments). There will be a lot of events taking place, games and fun for the whole family until 4 p.m. Sunday at 9:15 a.m. Sunday School for all ages, 10:30 a.m. morning service, 12 p.m. lunch and at 1:30 p.m. a concert by the Taubl family. Everyone welcome to attend. Come help celebrate.

On Saturday, July 15 Franklin Grange 124 will hold a Craft and Food Sale at the Grange Hall from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The Grange will serve hot dogs, sandwiches and punch at noon. To rent a table to sell your own things, call Peggy at 674-3872. Tables are \$5 each. Music will be provided on the porch for listening enjoyment, with a donation jar.

Today, July 6, the Senior Citizens will meet at the Grange Hall at 11:30 a.m. Dinner will be put on by the Grange and program is John Hathaway. All Seniors welcome.

Sorry to hear the lightning a couple weeks ago did so much damage to Silver Creations equipment.

Telstar Alumni Association

Calling all Telstar Alumni to attend the sixth annual Telstar Car Show on Saturday, July 15. Telstar graduates who enter a car, truck, motorcycle, and/or tractor will be in the running for the Telstar Alumni Trophy. A helium balloon will be tied to the alumni entry and car show participants will vote on their favorite alumni entry.

The 2003 winner was Grayson Wakefield, who entered a 1970 Mustang Mach One. Ken Cole was the 2004 winner with his 1960 Ford T-Bird and Emery Ricker with his 2003 Ford Ranger was the top vote getter at the 2005 show.

Come to the fields at Telstar on Mollycokett Day. Entries can be as old as an antique or as new as a 2007 model. Cars, trucks, motorcycles and even tractors can be entered in this school fundraising event. Show hours are from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Who will be the Telstar Alumni winner at the 2006 show?

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The boys/girls state dinner and legion meeting scheduled for July 11 has been postponed to a later date; date/time to be determined.

Oxford County Republicans

Mary Adams of the Maine Citizens Alliance, which is promoting a "yes" vote on the forthcoming "Taxpayer Bill of Rights," was the featured speaker at the June 20 monthly meeting of the Oxford County Republican Committee held at the First Congregational Church in Andover.

Mrs. Adams declared that the initiative would not be detrimental to senior citizens and schools as critics have alleged, but simply give voters control over the growth of spending.

After a delicious dinner provided by the Andover Town Republican Committee, a short business meeting was held dealing with campaign strategies in the fall election.

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campaign. It was also voted to raise the maximum charge paid for county committee suppers from \$6.50 to \$7.

At this meeting, the Andover Town Committee donated all proceeds to the County Committee to be used for the forthcoming election in November.

Among the candidates present were Norm Ferguson running for County Treasurer, House candidates Paula Smith of Andover, Rep. Jim Hamper (R-Oxford) and Rep. Bruce Hanley (R-Paris), along with Senate candidate Len Greaney of Rumford. Also present were Rep. Arlan Jodrey (R-Bethel) and County Commissioner Jeff Fagan of Paris.

The July meeting will be held on July 11 at Stan Howe's residence, 18 Broad Street and feature the annual picnic hosted by the Bethel Town Republican Committee. There will be a 5:30 p.m. social hour followed by the barbecue at 6:30 p.m. and then the meeting and speaker, State Committee Vice Chair Dan Schuberth. All area Republicans are urged to attend.

From White Mountain National Forest

Wednesday Night with a Ranger programs are presented by the Forest Service every Wednesday evening beginning at 8 p.m. at the Appalachian Mountain Club's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center on Route 16, 11 miles south of Gorham, N.H. White Mountain National Forest staff look forward to the opportunity to share what's going on in the mountains. Programs are free and all local residents, campers, and visitors are welcome. Programs are about an hour long and include complimentary popcorn and time for conversation about the evening's topic or any other national

forest issue.

For more information, call the Androscoggin Ranger Station at (603) 466-2713, TTY (603) 466-2856, or the Appalachian Mountain Club at (603) 466-2721.

Summer program schedule
July 12 — "What's that Oversized Puddle in my Backyard?" Could it be a vernal pool — seasonal home to frogs, polliwogs and other squishy creatures? Learn how to recognize and protect this valuable aquatic habitat. Presented by Conservation Educator Susan Spruce-Eland.

July 19 — "Fire in the Forest." Is fire in the forest a friend or a threat? Find out what's up with smoke and fire in the White Mountains, hear tales of a forest firefighter, and play with the gear she packs along. Presented by Fire Management Planner Erin Small.

July 26 — "Moose — The Monarch of the North Woods." Learn about the habits and haunts of these North Country natives, and how to stay safe when your paths cross. Presented by Conservation Educator Chris Bishop.

Aug. 2 — "A Day in the Life of a Backcountry Ranger." Ever wish you could hike for your job? Come see what it's really all about. See the backcountry, morning until night, from a Ranger's point of view. Presented by a White Mountain National Forest Backcountry Ranger.

Aug. 9 — "On the Rock with the Mount Washington Avalanche Center." Is it chilly in here? Great slides of snowy Tuckerman and Huntington Ravines will take you through a season of ice-climbing and spring skiing in these unique backcountry recreation areas. Presented by US Forest Service Snow Ranger Brian Johnston.

Aug. 16 — "White Mountain Lure." It's movie night — grab some popcorn and spend



HAPPY RETIREMENT, PHYLLIS—Phyllis Blake of Bethel retired this year after nearly 40 years of driving a school van, transporting SAD44 children. Blake also worked in district kitchens. On June 25, family and friends surprised her with a retirement party at Littlefield Beaches in Greenwood, where she and her husband, Sonny, camp in the summer. Phyllis and Sonny are pictured here, center, with those attending the gathering. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

30 minutes living the history of the White Mountains. Come along for the journey through the logging era to the rise of the grand hotels and tourism, to the creation of the White Mountain National Forest.

Aug. 23 — "The History of Logging in the White Mountains." Learn about the evolution of logging, from the widespread land-clearing of last century, to the art and science of today's timber harvests in a multiple use working forest. Presented by Foresters Steve and Sue Wingate.

Aug. 30 — "Open Forum — A Conversation with the Deputy Forest Supervisor." Converse about key issues of interest in the forest — share what's on your mind or just listen in and hear a variety of perspectives. Presented by Deputy Forest Supervisor Bernie Gyant.

Porter murals opened for regular summer tours and its 33rd season of providing a quality historical experience to visitors from around the world. The Museum will be open each afternoon except Monday until Labor Day from 1 to 4 p.m. In addition to several volunteers who have been giving tours for some time (Amy Davis, Allan Marcotte, Nancy Mercer, Jim Macgregor, and Kathy Kunkel), the Museum will also be staffed by two interns, David Jones, a graduate student in public history at the University of Southern Maine's New England and American Studies program and Maureen Doyle of Bethel, this year's Judith Haskell Intern.

This year's exhibit in the Dr. Mason House Meeting Room will be, "The Bethel Historical Society: A Fortieth Anniversary." Summertime is a particularly busy time for the society and there will be a number of exhibits and special programs during the months of July and August, including the community picnic on the Mason grounds with the Port-

land Brass Quintet on July 4, an exhibit opening, "Cohen, Congress and Controversy: Rediscovering Civic in the Archives," and presentation by Chris Potholm of Bowdoin College on July 25, the Yankee Brass Band Concert on the grounds of the Dr. Mason House (weather permitting) on July 29, Sudbury Canada Days on Aug. 11-13 during which two lectures in the Dr. Moses Mason House meeting room will take place, David H. Waters of the University of New Hampshire, "New England's Legacy: Memory and Identity in an American Region," and Thomas C. Hubka of the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, on "Maine's Connected Farm Buildings: The Uncommon Architecture of Common Farmers."

Next door the O'Neil Robinson House will also be open six days a week 1 to 4 p.m. as well as offer morning hours (Tuesday through Friday) 10 a.m. to Noon. There will be four exhibits open to the public here as well as the museum shop and an opportunity to view a number of historical videos relating to local and regional history.

local chapter of Sweet Adelines International, has a busy schedule in the coming weeks.

On July 17 at 7 p.m. they will appear in the Poland Spring Preservation Society's Summer Concert Series in the All Souls Chapel. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.; admission is \$5.

The chorus will sing a varied program including show tunes, love songs, old favorites, and patriotic songs in four-part, unaccompanied harmony, barbershop style. The program will also feature two quartets, "Four on a Match" and "Meant to Be." For more information about the Poland Spring Concert Series call 998-4142.

On July 20 and July 21, the Mollycokett Chorus will present three performances at the Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Foundation in Greene. Performance times are 7 p.m. on Thursday, July 20 and 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Friday, July 21. Admission is free. This show will have a "Camp Mollycokett" theme and will include some lighthearted humor along with a rich line-up of songs by the chorus and quartets.

For information about the Sawyer Foundation, call 946-5311 and for information about the Mollycokett Chorus, call Mimi Wetzel, Publicity Committee, 627-4939.

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9 a.m. (Fridays) Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-6061) or Rowena Palmer (743-2820) or email meganlink.net.

Now thru August - Exhibition of original acrylic, oil and watercolor paintings by Maine Artist Varvara Harmon will be on display at Harvest Gold Gallery, Route 6, Lovell, Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday-Monday, call ahead (325-6522).

May-October Sunset Moose Tours Northern Forest Heritage Park, Route 16, Berlin, N.H. Three hours. Depart from Gorham, N.H. Information Booth or Heritage Park, times vary w/season. Adults \$20, Ages 5-12 \$15, Age 4 and under \$5. Reservations recommended. FMI: call (603) 762-7202 or visit www.northernforestheritage.org. Wednesday afternoons thru Aug. 23 - River Tours, 90 to 95-minute narrated tours by Northern Forest Heritage Park, Route 16, Berlin, N.H. FMI, schedule, cost and reservations: (603) 762-7202 or visit www.northernforestheritage.org.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday thru July - IMAI Chamber Music summer concerts at Fryeburg Academy 7:30 p.m. \$10 adults, \$5 seniors and students, FMI: 935-2491 or visit www.home.earthlink.net/~imafryeburg.

Thursday, July 6

7 p.m. - Norway Memorial Library invites public to talk by David Sanderson about Lajos Matolcsy, one of founders of Western Maine Art Group. FMI: 743-8309.

8 p.m. - The Maine Historical Society will be at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$16/\$8 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

Friday, July 7

Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens meeting at Franklin Grange Hall, Bryant Pond. The Grange will put on the dinner. Please bring a prize for the Game Party.

8 p.m. - Kruger Brothers, American Bluegrass, will be at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$16/\$8 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

5 to 8 p.m. - Art in the Barn Opening Night at McLaughlin Foundation Garden, Main Street, South Paris. FMI: 743-6620 or www.mclaughlingarden.org.

7 p.m. - Informational meeting about The Ledges at Woodstock Town Office.

7 to 9 p.m. - Social Drumming Circle at SpiritWings, 57 Main Street, Bethel. Extra drums available. FMI: 824-2204.

8 p.m. - Norway Memorial Library Art Opening (the second of three First Fridays) will feature paintings by Lajos Matolcsy and Lee Bean. The paintings will be on display throughout July.

8 p.m. - The Odd Company will perform at Celebration Barn Theater, 190 Stock Farm Road, South Paris. Tickets: \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and children 12 and under. Reservation required (743-8452).

July 7-9

Maine Conservation School, Bryant Pond, ATV Safety Course. FMI: visit www.maineconservationschool.org or e-mail mcsp@megalink.net or call 665-2068.

Saturday, July 8

8:30 a.m. - Community Lakes Association meeting at Woodstock Town Office. All welcome.

2 to 5 p.m. - Peabody Farm Museum, 259 North Road, Shelburne, N.H. will be open. FMI: (603) 466-2621.

7 to 10 p.m. - Swingin' Bears Dance Club annual ice cream social dance at Oxford Hills Middle School, Pine Street. Casual dress. Refreshments at intermission. Non-dancers welcome to watch. FMI: Sue Corning (743-7176) or Eleanor Herrick (782-4050).

7:30 p.m. - Vocal Solution at Watford Congregational Church, foot of Plummer Hill Road, off routes 55 and 37. Doors open 7 p.m. Tickets at door for suggested donation of \$10. Fundraiser for Watford Congregational Church.

7:30 p.m. - "Fusion," a group of brothers, Matthew and Jason Tardy, and Mike Mielon, comedian and co-owner of Oddfellow Theater will perform at the theater in Buckfield. Tickets: \$10 for adults, \$8 for seniors and \$6 for 12 and under are available by calling the box office at 836-3363. FMI: www.oddfellow.com or www.whofusion.com.

7 to 10 p.m. - Free outdoor concert/dance with Stream Reggae during Norway Summer Festival behind Fare Share Market, Main Street, Chem-free.

8 p.m. - The Dave Rowe Trio, Bluegrass, Celtic, traditional, at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$18 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

8 to 10 p.m. - Friends of Maine Wildlife Park, Gray. Creatures of the Night Hike. Bring your own flashlight. Cancelled if raining. FMI: 675-977 Ext. 1.

8 to 11 p.m. - Old Fashioned Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall. Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society. Everyone welcome.

July 8 and 9

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10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Giant Yard Sale at L.M. Longley warehouse, Lake Road, Norway by Norway-Paris Fish and Game Association. Hunting, fishing, camping equipment, and misc. items. FMI: Leon Truman at 743-5287.

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - 16th annual Woodworkers and Artisans Show at Narramissic, the Bridgton Historical Society's Peabody-Fitch Farm, Ingalls Road, off Route 107, South Bridgton. Admission: \$5 for adults (members \$4); children under 8 free; family tickets (2 adults with dependent children) \$12. FMI: 647-3599 or e-mail bhs@megalink.net.

Sunday, July 9

8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. - 7th annual Antiques Show and Sale at Lovell Historical Society's Kimball Stanford House, Route 5, Lovell. Admission: \$3. Early buyers, 8 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. admission \$5. Free verbal appraisals on site for two items. Raffle, food and beverages available. FMI: 925-2251 or e-mail lovellhist@pivot.net.

9 and 10 a.m. - Bethel Alliance Church, Route 26, Bethel, will host the Rev. Paul Veit, who will speak on "Evolution vs. Creation" and brings with him many fossils and bones. Public welcome. FMI: 824-2289.

10 a.m. - Hanover Bottle Drive roadside pickups along Main Street, Howard Pond Road, Mill Hill Road and South Shore Road. The bottle drive is led by Sarah Moir, 13, as a fundraiser for Gardner Roberts Library. Donated returnable bottles and cans need to be boxed or bagged and left at the end of your driveway. The drop site is available all day every day for Hanover area residents who wish to help out. Just leave your bottles and cans at the cargo trailer at the parking lot at the Hanover Town Office.

1 p.m. - North Pond Sailing Association's 34th annual Regatta at North Pond. FMI: Elaine Mills at 875-3726.

2 p.m. - Sunday in the Gardens at Two, Hedgehog Hill Farm, 54 Hedgehog Hill Road, Sumner, will feature "Small Fruits and Berries." FMI: 988-2341, e-mail info@hedgehoghillfarm.com or visit www.hedgehoghillfarm.com.

2 p.m. - "Sunday Concert for Seniors" at Bion Cram Library, Fryeburg Academy. Admission \$10 for adults, \$5 for seniors and students. FMI: 935-1494 or visit www.home.earthlink.net/~imafryeburg.

2 to 4 p.m. - A Nature Walk with Warren Balgooyen at Wilhelm Reich Museum, Dodge Pond Road, Ranglefield. FMI: 864-3443.

4 p.m. - Bethel Bandstand Concert Series will feature Mountain Streams Music (Celtic tunes) on Bethel Common, sponsored by Paula Gillies and Chris Otten. Bring a chair. Free. Rain site: Gould Academy's Bingham Hall. FMI: 824-3575.

7 p.m. - Port Opera, Mozart's L'Orca del Cairo at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$20/\$8 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

7:30 p.m. - "A Little Night Music" in concert, fundraiser starring special guest Karen K. Edissi (KK) at Pickard Theater on Bowdoin College campus. Tickets: \$15, \$22 and \$28 available at the theater (725-8769), online at www.msmt.org or at the box office.

Tuesday, July 11

5:30 to 9:30 p.m. - Supper/Dance at the Jackson-Silver Post American Legion Hall on the Gore Road, Locke Mills. Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Price is \$8 for age 13 and up and \$3 for age 12 and under. Proceeds benefit of the American Legion Auxiliary. Come and enjoy.

5:30 p.m. - Oxford County Republican Committee meeting/annual picnic at Stan Howe's residence, 18 Broad Street, Bethel, picnic hosted by the Bethel Town Republican Committee. 5:30 p.m. social hour followed by the barbecue at 6:30 p.m. and then meeting and speaker, State Committee Vice Chair Dan Senebierth. All area Republicans urged to attend. FMI: Stan Howe at 824-2291.

6 to 8 p.m. - Reiki Share Group at SpiritWings, 57 Main Street, Bethel. Open to Reiki practitioners of all levels and lineages. FMI: 824-2204.

8 p.m. - "Dreams" by Sebago-Long Lake Music Festival at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$20/\$8 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.sebagomusicfestival.org or www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

Wednesday, July 12

10 a.m. to 1 p.m. - Jackson Gilman, "The Standup Chameleon" (children's Wednesday) at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$5/\$4 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton;



The DAVE ROWE TRIO at Deertrees

In a time when rural music is being urbanized and urban music is being ruralized, it is refreshing to hear the simple beauty and foot-stomping joy of traditional Celtic and Canadian Maritime favorites, especially when it is played with enthusiastic, twang-twisted mastery. On Saturday, July 8th, the Dave Rowe Trio will not only be serving up their own unique blend of original and traditional music on stage at Harrison's Deertrees Theatre, but will also be celebrating the release of their newest CD, "The Good Life."

This latest recording from the Dave Rowe Trio is a barn-burner of a disc and a must-have for all fans of the trio. Alongside Dave on his familiar lead vocals, guitar, piano, and tin whistle, are bassist extraordinaire Kevin O'Reilly and fiddle/mandolin wunderkind Edward Howe. The CD includes some new songs by Dave as well as some older stuff that Turkey Hollow fans will fondly remember. There are some fun instrumental tunes penned by Edward as well as Tom Rowe's marvelous Québécois and Chuck Kruger's Back to Maine.

Jamming up a real nor'easter with every performance, the Dave Rowe Trio's solid, soaring harmonies and burning instrumentals are a musical force to be reckoned with. Tickets are \$18 and are on sale at the Deertrees Box Office. For reservations and ticket information, please call 207.583.6747.

The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

8 p.m. - "What's that Oversized Puddle in my Backyard?"

Wednesday Night with a Ranger speaker series at Appalachian Mountain Club's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center on Route 16, 11 miles south of Gorham. Could it be a vernal pool, season home to frogs, polliwogs and other squishy creatures? FMI: (603) 466-2713, TTY (603) 466-2856 or (603) 466-2721 (Appalachian Mountain Club).

Thursday, July 13

7 and 9:30 p.m. - Bob Marley, comedian, will perform at Deertrees Theatre and Cultural Center, Harrison. Tickets: \$18 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

7 p.m. - Wicked Smart Horned Band performance at St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H. FMI: (603) 752-6060 (Chamber).

8 p.m. - "An Evening in Paris: Cello and Piano" a performance at The Brick Church for the Performing Arts, 502 Christian Hill Road, Lovell. Admission: \$12 donation. Compositions by Beethoven, Debussy, Chaminade, Faure, Chopin and Poulenc, performed by Bonnie Anderson, pianist, and Natasha Farny, cellist. FMI: contact Roberta Chandler at 925-2792.

Friday, July 14

8:15 a.m. - Bethel Area Trails meeting at the Mahoosuc Land Trust office.

3 to 6 p.m. - Harvest Gold Gallery, Kezar Lake, Lovell, is opening its 4th annual art show beginning with an artist reception. Show features local artists and craftspeople. All are welcome. FMI: call 925-6502.

8 p.m. - The Shaw Brothers performance at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$20 available at box office (583-6747) open Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Books N Things, Bethel; The Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; or Fare Share Coop, Norway. FMI: visit www.deertrees theatre.org or e-mail Deertrees@usa.net.

8 p.m. - Karen Montanaro will be the featured performer at Celebration Barn Theater, 190 Stock Farm Road, South Paris. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and children 12 and under. Reservations required (743-8452).

Saturday, July 15

7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. - Mollycoddett Day in Bethel, on the common. Parade, races of all kinds, arts and crafts, entertainment, good food, frog jumping, fiddlers contest and fireworks at dusk. FMI: 824-3575.

Key Bank Mollycoddett Day Classic Road Race. Five-mile

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 a.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 382-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Morning worship 9:30 a.m. with a Fellowship Brunch following. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellinger (824-2289). Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9 a.m.; Morning worship service at 10 a.m.; Kids Klub (4 yrs-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30 p.m.; Evening service at 6 p.m. Sundays; Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickeman, 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-0530.

Our Lady of the Snows- Effective June 3: Saturday mass will be at 6 p.m. Rev. Angelo Levasseur. 364-4556.

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2862. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at Stoneham Church, Maine St. (Rt. 6), Stoneham. Rev. George Probb, 683-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-466-2851.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass.

GORHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH - Rev. Miryam Hammond. Sunday morning worship at 9 a.m. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Hanes Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10 a.m. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. Services in the church will resume in April.

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Traditional church services: Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals, etc. held in mountainous settings, riverside, or your choice by Reverend Don Coverdale. Cell phone: 781-710-8086.

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824-4069 FMI or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after. Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singers perform third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass.

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH OF NORWAY - 11am worship. (Sept. - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass.

Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Merrill Hittner, Priest in charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rectory.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 9 a.m. Sunday worship service at 10 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 9 p.m. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7 p.m. 170 Andover Road. FMI call 364-3656 or see our website at <http://www.forministry.com/usmeagood-papag>

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship 674-2365

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m. Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:15 a.m. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m. Monday Diaconette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship; week the fourth Tuesday of every month Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30 a.m. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7 p.m. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgkins. Sundays. Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-787-9678), Saturday 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) Hymn Sing. Last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoesque Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday, 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm. 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12.

Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen Office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The Deadline is Monday at Noon

CABLE LINE-UP

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3 UPN - WPME	14 QVC	25 ESPN	36 CNN Cable News Network	48 TBS	58 EWTN - Eternal Word Television Network	67 Nickelodeon
4 FOX - WFPO	15 Home Shopping Network	26 ESPN 2	37 Headline News	49 Oxygen	59 Hallmark	68 Disney Channel
5 Local Access	16 PEG - Educational	27 Great American Country	39 CNBC	50 A&E - Arts & Entertainment	60 TBN - Trinity Broadcast Network	69 Animal Planet
6 NBC - WCSH	17 Shop NBC	28 MTV - Music Television	40 MSNBC	51 AMC - American Movie Classics	61 The History Channel	70 Sci-Fi Channel
7 PEG - Educational	18 TV Guide Channel	29 VH1	41 Court TV	52 Ovation - Fine Arts TV	62 TLC - The Learning Channel	71 TV5 - French Television
8 ABC - WMTW	19 C-Span	30 Lifetime - TV for Women	42 TCM - Turner Classic Movies	53 Bravo	63 Discovery Channel	72 PIN
9 ADELPHIA 9	20 C-Span 2	31 Spike TV - TV for Men	43 Movie Plex	54 E!	64 TV Land	73 Inspirational TV Network
10 MPBN - WCBB	21 PAX TV	32 Country Music Television	44 TNT - Turner Network TV	55 HGTV - Home & Garden	65 BET - Black Entertainment TV	74 Cartoon Network
11 PBS - WENH	23 NESN - New England Sports Net	33 Weather Channel	45 Comedy Central	56 Food Network		
12 WB - WPXT		34 NECN - NE Cable News	46 FX Network			

THURSDAY EVENING JULY 6, 2006											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Hates Chris	Love, Inc.	Eve	Cuts	Dr. Phil		South Park	South Park	
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6	207 Mag	Inside	Name Earl	The Office	The Office	The Office	Windfall		News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Master of Champions	Grey's Anatomy			Grey's Anatomy		News		
10	News-Lehrer		Old House	Made In	Pioneers in Aviation		Austin City Limits		Charlie Rose		
(22)	SportsCtr.	NFL Live	MLB Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Houston Astros							SportsCenter	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC Unleashed		Dudesons	Raising	TNA IMPACT!		
13	Entertain	The Insider	Big Brother 7: All-Stars	Rock Star: Supernova	CSI: Crime Scn		News				
(41)	Sports	In Focus	Poker-Aussie	Best Damn Sports Show			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show		
(15)	Movie: "Alien vs. Predator" Cont'd			Lucky Louie	Lucky Louie	Lucky Louie	Lucky Louie	Tourgasm	Cathouse: The Series		
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Tarzan"				Emperor	Dragon	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	Dodgeball	Movie: "Spider-Man 2"					Movie: "Robots"			Hollywood	
(20)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Tampa Bay Devil Rays						Innings	Extra Inn	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44)	Movie: "Cheater's Club"				Movie: "Caught in the Act"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	MLB Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves						"Dickie Roberts: Former Child Star"			
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Romeo!	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25)	Movie: "Fargo" Cont'd		Movie: "Broken Trail"								
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			Monk		Monk		House	
(27)	Cold Case Files		The First 48		The First 48		Dallas SWAT		Cold Case Files		
(12)	Funniest Home Videos		Shocking Behavior		Shocking Behavior		WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Becker	
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 7, 2006											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	WWE Friday Night SmackDown!				Dr. Phil		South Park	South Park	
(32)	7th Heaven		Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club			
6	207 Mag	Inside	Dateline NBC		Las Vegas		Law & Order		News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos		Kyle XY		20/20		News		
10	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine.	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Served	NOW	Charlie Rose		
(22)	SportsCtr.	NFL Live	Baseball: MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Chicago White Sox							SportsCtr.	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		The Shield		Blade: The Series		
13	Entertain	The Insider	NCIS		The Unit		NUMB3RS		News		
(41)	Sports	Baseball	Poker Superstars		Best Damn Sports Show			Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	The Chronicles of Riddick		Movie: "I, Robot"				Deadwood		Lucky Louie	Entourage	
(17)	Montana	So Raven	Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Monsters, Inc."				Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	Shadow	Movie: "The Ring Two"					Movie: "Unleashed"				
(20)	Red Sox	Pregame Report		MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Chicago White Sox					Innings		
(44)	Movie: "Awake to Danger"			Movie: "Hush"					Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Stuck on You"			"National Security"			
(24)	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Movie: "What a Girl Wants"				Movie: "What a Girl Wants"				
(25)	"Highlander" Cont'd		Movie: "Commando"			Movie: "Poltergeist III"					
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Monk		Psych		House		
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Biography		American Justice		American Justice		
(12)	Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Hero and the Terror"				WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Becker	
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 8, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop III"				Veronica Mars		South Park	South Park
(32)	"It Could Happen to You"		Movie: "Uptown Girls"				Movie: "Ever After: A Cinderella Story"			
6	Maine	Maine	Dateline NBC		Law Order: CI		Law & Order		News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "The Princess Diaries"				The Evidence		News	CSI
10	Made In	Design e2	Jose Marle		Monarchy With		MontyPyth	On the Up	Red Green	Red Green
(22)	Horse Racing		Paintball		Paintball		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
(34)	Most Amazing Videos		Most Amazing Videos		Disorderly Con.		Fans: Over the Edge		TNA iMPACT!	
13	Entertainment Tonight		48 Hours Mystery		Movie: "Mission: Impossible 2"					
(41)	Beyond the Glory		Poker-Aussie		Sports List	The Ride	In Focus	Final Score	Poker-Aussie	
(15)	Movie: "Taxi" Cont'd		Movie: "The 40-Year-Old Virgin"				Countdown	Entourage	Movie: "Batman Begins"	
(17)	Montana	So Raven	So Raven	Sadie	Dragon	Emperor	Phil	Life Derek	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	"Cry Wolf"		Movie: "Midnight Run"				Movie: "Wedding Crashers"			
(20)	CFL Football: Calgary Stampeders at Saskatchewan Roughriders						SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	Outdoors
(44)	Movie: "12 Hours to Live"				Movie: "Deadly Encounter"				Movie: "Best Laid Plans"	
(5)	MLB Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Son-in-Law"			
(24)	OddParents	SpongeBob	Movie: "What a Girl Wants"				Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	Cosby
(25)	"A Bridge Too Far"		Movie: "M*A*S*H"				Movie: "The Dead Pool"			
(26)	Psych Cont'd		Movie: "50 First Dates"				Movie: "50 First Dates"			
(27)	City Confidential		Cold Case Files		Cold Case Files		American Justice		American Justice	
(12)	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee Brewers						WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Becker
(39)	On the Story		CNN Presents			Larry King Live	CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents	

SUNDAY EVENING JULY 9, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn			Red Sox	Red Sox	McCarver	Exposure
(32)	While You Were Sleeping		Movie: "Best Man, Worst Friend"				Movie: "Best Man, Worst Friend"			
6	Dateline NBC		Law Order: CI			Crossing Jordan		News	Sports	
8	Funniest Home Videos		Makeover: Home		Desperate Housewives		Grey's Anatomy		News	Smallville
10	Bili Moyers on Faith		Nature		Mystery!		One of the Missing		Business	To Contrary
(22)	Baseball Tonight		MLB Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Houston Astros					SportsCenter		
(34)	UFC's Ultimate Fight Night				Blade: The Series			Blade: The Series		
13	60 Minutes		Cold Case		Movie: "Saving Milly"			News	The Insider	
(41)	Best Damn Sports Show		Poker Superstars		In Focus	Final Score	In Focus	Track	Poker Dome Challenge	
(15)	"Independence Day"		The Wire		Deadwood		Entourage	Lucky Louie	Tourgasm	Must Love
(17)	Montana	So Raven	Viewers' Choice				Phil	Life Derek	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	"Another 48 HRS."		Movie: "Singles"			Movie: "Constantine"				
(20)	Port O' Call	Golf Dest	Outdoors	Outdoors	Boston vs. New York Poker Challenge				SportsDesk	Red Sox
(44)	Movie: "Final Jeopardy"				Movie: "Identity Theft: The Michelle Brown Story"					
(5)	"Road Trip" Cont'd		Movie: "American Pie Presents: Band Camp"				Movie: "American Pie Presents: Band Camp"			
(24)	Romeo!	Unfabulous	Zoey 101	Just Kicks	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Hi-Jinks	Roseanne	Roseanne	Cosby
(25)	Movie: "Scarface" Cont'd		Movie: "Scarface"			Godfather 3				
(26)	Movie: "50 First Dates"				The 4400		The Dead Zone		Law & Order: SVU	
(27)	Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House		Meth in the City		Intervention		CSI: Miami	
(12)	Maximum Exposure		24		24		WGN News Replay		Sex & City	Becker
(39)	CNN Live Sunday Cont'd		CNN Presents			Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents

MONDAY EVENING JULY 10, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	One	All of Us	Girlfriends	Half & Half	Dr. Phil		South Park	South Park
(32)	7th Heaven		Kyle XY		Falcon Beach		Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Inside	Treasure Hunters		Treasure Hunters		Medium		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Wife Swap		Supernanny		How to Get the Guy		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		History Detectives		How Art Made the World		Charlie Rose	
(22)	Baseball Tonight		2006 Home Run Derby				Softball: All-Stars		SportsCenter	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Blade: The Series		The Shield	
18	Entertain	The Insider	King	How I Met	Two Men	How I Met	CSI: Miami		News	
(4)	Sports	PRIDE Fighting	PRIDE Fighting		In Focus		Sports	Sports	PRIDE Fighting	
(15)	When It Was a Game		Movie: "Cinderella Man"				BOFFO! Tinseltown			
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "The Even Stevens Movie"				Sadie	Dragon	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	Anchorman		Movie: "Wedding Crashers"				Movie: "Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story"			
(20)	Remy's	Remy's	Boston vs. New York Poker Challenge				SportsDesk	Outdoors	SportsDesk	Red Sox
(44)	Movie: "Odd Girl Out"			Movie: "Not Like Everyone Else"			Lovespring		Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Band Camp	
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Unfabulous	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	Movie: "M*A*S*H" Cont'd		Movie: "The Sling"				Movie: "The Great Escape"			
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		WWE Monday Night Raw				Psych	
(27)	Crossing Jordan		Dog	Dog	Dog the Bounty Hunter		Red Light Districts			
(12)	Funnies Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos			WGN News at Nine			Sex & City	Becker
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

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High Honors: Kelsey Dole, Cynthia Farrington.

Honors: Heather Bolstridge, Marissa Coriveau, Brandon Costello, Chelsea Cozzolino, Chea Davis, Tiffany Jordan, Kyle Kuvaja, Kimberly Lauro, Charli McGrew, Mia Stucchi, Danna Wilson.

GRADE 11

Honors: Bethany Danforth, Jennifer Learned, Tara Eunnay, Kara Thurlow.

GRADE 10

High Honors: Sarah Field, Jessica Yasko.

Honors: Lisa Aron, Brianne Bailey, Chelsea Bean, Bailey Davis, Jennifer DeNormandie, Tishenna Flaherty, Abigail Hutchins, Rochelle Jewell, Cyrus Krahn, Kyle Maines, Trista Morin, Esther Pew, Michael Redman, Joselyn Reiss, Andrew Whitney.

GRADE 9

High Honors: Frank Del Duca, Margaret DePasquale, Brianna Douglass, Katlyn Keane, Whitney Mills, Eva Thornton.

Honors: Timothy Aguilar, Jennifer Aldrich, Brian Annis, Amber Brooks, Lance Brown, Natalie Brown, William Chapman, Benjamin Cross, Kathryn Driscoll, Alex Gundersen, Andrea

Gunther, Alex Hebert, Graden Hutchinson, Katrina Jackson, Kelsea Kuvaja, Sarah Lavorgna, John Lewis, Bethany O'Neil, Dorothy Palmer, Heather Parker, Lisa Piccirillo, Cassandra Roberts, Alyssa Steven, Lauretta Thurston.

GRADE EIGHT

High Honors: Troy Murphy, Stephanie Savage.

Honors: Tyler Aldrich, Victoria Bobbe, Megan Bonney, Mariah Bundy, Thomas Conroy, Peter Cowan, Tara Cowin, Amber Davis, Felicia Dumont, Kaitlynn Gibson, Meghan Griswold, Joseph Haines, Lindsay James, Samantha Largess, Michael MacKnight, Bradi McAlister, Karyn Penley, John Pierce, Seth Shimamura, Marion Thurston, Kristilee White, Cassandra Yasko, Kara Zadakis.

GRADE SEVEN

High Honors: Emily DeCarolis, Victoria Forkus, Alice Hotopp, Austin Jodrey, Jean Lawrence, Morgan Lee, Joseph Reis, Samantha Southam, Jamie Steven, Katelyn Summer.

Honors: James Carter, Michael Coriveau, Cheyanne Day, Keegan Hutchinson, Joshua Krahn, Taylor Maines, Kayla Merrill, Hannah Morin, Justyne Myers, Ciara Nadeau, Elek Pew, Jillian Rice, Ravin Russell, Ashley Sabins, Andrew Sprague, Ashley Swan, Samantha Tibbets,

Melissa Waterhouse.

GRADE SIX

High Honors: Emily Bellinger, Kallie Brown, Britany Douglass, Matthew Keane, Adam Mahar, Karen White, Daniel Whitney.

Honors: Trenton Bonney, Tyler Brown, Sarah Burnham, Jebediah Clarke, Ashley Conkright, Jameson Corey, Naomi Ellsworth, Mitchell Fraser, Abbie Goldberg, Corey Howard, Echo Hoyt, Megan LaCroix, Benjamin Lewis, James Lowell, Jennifer Martin, Carson McKay, Lyndsay Merrill, James Piccirillo, Lindsey Redgate, Kalene Robertson, Jonathan Scheidegger, Nicholas Schwarz, Amalia Siegel, Casey Thornton, Jonah Thurlow, Hunter Verrill, Jacob Wakefield, Destiny Westleigh, Drew Wilson.

College grads

COLBY

Sara M. Booth of Hanover was one of 465 seniors who graduated from Colby College, receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree at commencement in Waterville on May 28. Sara is the daughter of John and Paulette Booth of Hanover.

JOHNSON & WALES

Benjamin Shimamura of Bryant Pond received an associate degree in culinary arts

from the College of Culinary Arts at Johnson & Wales University, Providence Campus ceremony.

NORTHEASTERN

Timothy List of Hanover graduated Magna Cum Laude from Northeastern University College of Engineering. He will pursue a career as a mechanical engineer at Bose Corporation, working in their automotive division.

Dean's list

EMMANUEL COLLEGE

Abigail M. Gilbert of Bethel was named to the dean's list for the spring 2006 semester.

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

Area students on the dean's list for the 2006 spring semester: Jay Aloisio, Gail Aloisio, Albany Township; Jonathan Hooper, Laura Bolstridge, Justine Carver, Santana Wilson, all of Bethel; Megan Kelly, Bryant Pond; Jessica James, Hanover.

TMS SPORTS CERTIFICATES

Telstar Middle School students received certificates of participation in the following sports:

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MCS EXPERIENCE—Cassandra and Kathleen Blaszczyk, sisters from Bethel, both attended the Maine Conservation School's "Natural Explorer" summer camp program. The girls' fees were paid by the Stifler family, owners of the Bumpus mine in Albany. The Stiflers provided 10 full scholarships to MCS for children from Albany and Greenwood.

rago, Corey Howard, Matthew Keane, Austin Leonard, Ryan Smith, Casey Thornton, Devin Vail, Danny Whitney, Drew Wilson.

Softball

T.J. Cowin, Desirae Cox, Carin Donachie, Felicia Dumont, Sam Largess, Lindsay James, Marion Thurston, Amanda Wiley, Sarah Averill, Emma Davis, Victoria Forkus, Gail Lavorgna, Kayla Merrill, Hannah Morin, Katie Sumner, Nicena Walker, Sarah Burnham, Kallie Brown, Natasha Farnum, Lindsay Merrill, Miranda Lawton, Ashley Conkright.

Track

Freedom Blackard, Victoria Bobbe, Evan Fessenden, Nic Kingsbury, Damon Nolte, Wayland Picchiotti, Stephanie

Savage, Rick Aguilar, Dusty Bailey, Josh Belinger, James Carter, Toby Cole, Dylan Coolidge, Megan Costello, Kimberly Dean, Alice Hotopp, Matthew Dickerson, Josh Krahn, Morgan Lee, Elek Pew, Taylor Reiss, Jillian Rice, Anna Shenk, Justin Smith, Jamie Steven, Samantha Tibbets, Gabe Aguilar, Catelynn Bennett, Katie Blaszczyk, Trenton Bonney, Mitchell Fraer, Lynette Gregory, Hal Harren, Tim Jewell, Ben Lewis, Adam Mahar, Jennifer Martin, Jaret Rice.

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BARKER RD, BETHEL
~ 6 ACRES
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RTE 2, WEST BETHEL
~ 3.44 ACRES
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RTE 232, WOODSTOCK
~ 3 BR, 2 + 1/2 BATH
~ 2.3 ACRES
~ NEW CONSTRUCTION
~ \$248,600

BIRD HILL RD, WOODSTOCK
~ 2.5 ACRES
~ SEPTIC SYSTEM & WELL INCLUDED
~ CLOSE TO NORTH POND & MT ABRAM SKIWAY
~ \$65,000

BARKER RD, BETHEL
~ 26 ACRES
~ 5 BR, 1 BATH, 2 BARN
~ 1500' RIVERFRONTAGE
~ \$320,000

LAND	
ANDOVER-- 2+/- ACRES--BROOK BOUNDARY--QUIET RD.....	\$29,900
BETHEL-- 7+/- ACRES--BROOK BOUNDARY--FIELDS, LEVEL.....	\$38,000
BETHEL-- 16+/- ACRES--CLOSE TO BETHEL INN GOLF COURSE.....	\$260,000
HARTFORD-- 44.5+/- ACRES--WATERFRONT--SUBDIVISION POSSIBILITIES.....	\$500,000
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4 Bdrm. Bethel village and within walking distance to Bethel Inn & Country Club, shopping, dining, and many other downtown amenities.

55 MASON ST, BETHEL ~ \$84,500
VERY NICE BUILDING LOT IN A QUIET RURAL SETTING. Close to Mountains and yet still close enough to the lakes for your four season enjoyment.

66 RIVER VALLEY ACRES ROAD, BETHEL \$298,900
Potential rental income with this three bedroom, 2 bath ranch located within 5 minutes of Sunday River Ski Resort/Golf Course. Open concept LR/DR/Kitchen. Hardwood floors throughout, wood interior and Farmers Porch. Property on nearly one acre. Adjacent lot available for \$89,900. Perfect ski house or investment income property!

HANOVER, \$134,500
Overlooking the Androscoggin River and just minutes to Sunday River Ski/Golf Resort. Fully furnished, outdoor heated pool with interior access, storage units, owners lounge and more.

51 VAIL DRIVE, POWDER RIDGE, NEWRY \$499,000
COMPLETELY FURNISHED home with open floor plan, cathedral ceiling, skylights, three bedrooms, two baths, recessed exterior deck hot tub, one car garage, views of Sunday River Ski Area. Unique decorating attractions throughout!

176 GORE RD, WOODSTOCK ~ \$180,000
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201 WALDO STREET, RUMFORD
12 Unit
\$245,000
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COBBLESTONE FARM VILLAGE
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COBBLESTONE FARM ROAD
NEW LISTING:
Lot 3 1.06 +/- Acres \$29,900
Lot 9 4.78 Acres SOLD!

LAND
1.4 Acres - Songo Pond Road, Albany \$16,900
1.5 Acres - Old S. Springfield Road, Springfield \$19,500
3.0 Acres - Crooked River Causeway, Albany, PENDING
1.6 Acres - Lot 1, Salinas, Norway \$34,900
1.5 Acres - 176 Gore Road, Woodstock, \$44,500
38.0 Acres - Old S. Springfield Road, Springfield \$49,900
4.5 Acres - 55A Mason Street, Bethel \$84,500
17.0 Acres - Hardwood Hill Island, Mariaville \$87,900
7.0 Acres - Route 2, Hanover, \$89,000
1.0 Acre - Sunday Valley Acres, Bethel \$89,900
41.0 Acres - Back Street, Upton \$119,000
2.67 Acres - Cushman Hill Road, Woodstock \$129,900
12 +/- Acres - Route 5, Hanover \$199,000
11.0 Acres - Sunday River Road, Newry \$250,000

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Lake Christopher & Mountain Views from this Classic 3 BR New Englander in the midst of interior renovations and awaiting your finishing touches. This property has much to offer with spacious living areas & original wood floors thru-out. Lovely barn would make a great location for your next commercial venture! Within walking distance of the public boat launch, beach and all town amenities. This one must not be overlooked at \$99,000!

Intervale Road, Bethel: Wonderful 3 BR Ranch on a level & sunny 1+/- acre parcel w/in close proximity to both Sunday River and Mt. Abram Ski resorts & only mins to Bethel Village amenities. Constructed in 2004, well maintained & in move-in condition, you're sure to enjoy its spacious LR w/large windows & vaulted ceiling, eat-in kit w/center island & adj. laundry/utility and master BR w/private bath & walk-in closet. A Must See at \$119,900!!

What A Ranch!!! Meticulously maintained spacious 3+ BR ranch with established perennial gardens, wonderful stone patio area, outdoor fireplace and views of Mt. Abram. Eat in kitchen, adj. dining area, bright living room, lower level master and within walking distance to fishing holes, boat launch, bakery, store and post office. A short drive to the Bethel and Sunday River areas make this property a steal at \$169,900

Beautiful Twitchell Pond View from this lovely split level located directly across the street from the public boat launch and within walking distance to the public boat launch, beach and all town amenities. This one must not be overlooked at \$99,000!

Slopeside ownership opportunity available at Sunday River Ski Resort with the purchase of this studio end unit with panoramic ski trail views and sunny southern exposure. Amenities include: Outdoor Heated Pool, Jacuzzi, Saunas, Private Owners Lounge, Ski Storage and More! Just in Time For Ski Season! \$89,900

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Lot #25 3.5 +/- Acres \$275,000
Lot #47 2 +/- Acres \$92,000
Lot #56 2 +/- Acres \$119,000
Lot #22 3.35 +/- Acres \$175,000
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- Close proximity to Bethel Village
- Breathtaking Mountain Views

Lot #10 1.13 +/- Acres \$99,900
Lot #13 2.28 +/- Acres \$99,000
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SUNSET HILL

- Walking Distance to Bethel Village
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort

Lot #1 4.4 Acres SOLD
Lot #5 2.40 Acres SOLD
Lot #6 1.78 Acres SOLD
Lot #8 .97 Acres SOLD
Lot #9 2.36 Acres SOLD
Lot #10 2.49 Acres \$69,000
Sunset Rock 23+/- Acres \$459,000
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221 West Bethel Rd., Bethel \$149,000

- 5 Bedrooms/2 Bath
- Enclosed Back Porch
- 2 Car Garage
- Circa 1850 Colonial
- Large Rooms & High Ceilings

Contact: JULIA YOUNG



83 BAILEY RD., BETHEL \$225,000

- Open Concept/2 Woodstoves
- 2 Large Bedrooms/1 1/2 Bath
- Large Family Room Loft
- Walk Out Basement w/ Sliders
- Wrap Around Deck

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GRAND VIEW DRIVE, BETHEL \$254,000

- 53.7 +/- Acres on Wilbur Mountain
- Views of the Mahoosuc Range
- Development Potential
- Power at Street

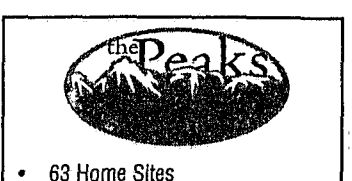
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20 TAYLOR WOODS, BETHEL \$359,000

- Newly Constructed Log Sided Home
- 4 Bedroom/3 1/2 Bath
- Finished Basement
- Open Floor Plan w/Cathedral Ceiling
- Gas Fireplace

Contact: CHERI THURSTON



- 63 Home Sites
- Sunday River Valley Location
- Ski Resort and Mahoosuc Views
- Southern Exposure

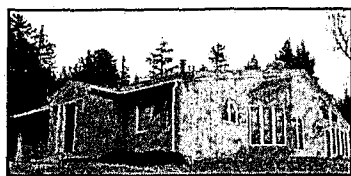
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ROUTE 5, ALBANY \$382,500

- Immaculate Condition
- Many Possibilities
- 1.2 +/- Acre Lot
- Additional Land Available
- 4800 Sq. Ft. Commercial Property

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23 FALCON RD, BETHEL \$329,000

- 3 Bedrooms/2 1/2 Baths
- Fieldstone Fireplace
- Cathedral Ceiling
- 5 +/- Acres Private Lot
- Gorgeous Mountain Views

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SUNDAY RIVER GOLF CLUB, NEWRY \$175,000

- Stunning Mt. Views
- Lot 20 Mahoosuc Glen
- Sunday River Shuttle Service
- Lifetime Membership Available
- Builder Package

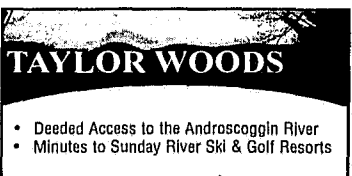
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2989 MAIN ST, HANOVER \$369,000

- Quality Constructed Contemporary Home
- 500+/- Ft. Androscoggin River Frontage
- Breathtaking River & Mountain Views
- Attached 4 Car Heated Garage/Workshop
- Approximately 2900 +/- SF

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TAYLOR WOODS

- Deeded Access to the Androscoggin River
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski & Golf Resorts

#22 1.70 Acres \$49,900
#23 1.93 Acres SOLD!
#26 1.70 Acres \$51,900
#27 2.16 Acres \$69,900
#28 1.70 Acres \$57,900

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51 HOWE HILL RD, GREENWOOD \$161,000

- 3 Bedrooms/1 1/2 Bath
- Newly Remodeled
- Deck & 1 car Garage
- Main Floor Laundry
- Minutes to Slopes/Ponds

Contact: CAROL EVERETT



23 BALSAM RD, BETHEL \$189,000

- Charming Ski Chalet
- Finished Basement
- 2 Bedrooms/2 Full Baths
- Snowmobile Garage
- Furnishings Available

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326 PARADISE ROAD, BETHEL \$399,500

- 5 Bedroom/3 1/2 Bath
- Superior Custom Construction
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- Beautiful Mountain Views
- Efficiency Apartment

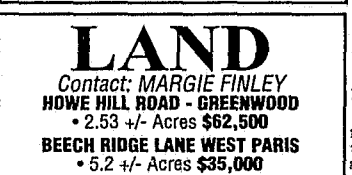
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2442 MAIN ST, HANOVER \$115,000

- Spacious Farmhouse
- 3 fireplaces
- Level 2 +/- acre lot
- 10 minutes to Sunday River
- New furnace and roof

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY



LAND

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY

HOWE HILL ROAD - GREENWOOD

2.53 +/- Acres \$62,500

BEECH RIDGE LANE WEST PARIS

5.2 +/- Acres \$55,000

LITTLEHALE RD. WEST PARIS

20 +/- Acres \$99,900

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TYLER STREET

.77 +/- Acres \$59,000

TYLER STREET

1.37 +/- Acres \$69,000

INTERVALE ROAD

25 +/- Acres \$299,000

MAH CAMP ROAD

2.00 +/- Acres \$200,000

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MASON STREET

1.6 +/- Acres \$189,000

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GRAND VIEW DRIVE

.53 +/- Acres \$254,000

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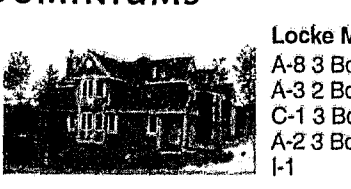
RESORT CONDOMINIUMS

Brookside I & II
II A-203 Studio/1 Bth \$87,900
II A-205 Studio/1 Bth \$87,900
II A-207 Studio/1 Bth \$87,900
II A-212 Studio/1 Bth \$92,000
II B-115 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
II B-203 Studio/1Bth SOLD

South Ridge
B-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth \$339,000
B-4 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
F-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth SOLD
J-6 3 Bdm/2 Baths SOLD

White Cap
B-218 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
B-405 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
B-412 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
A-406 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD

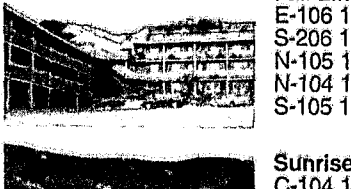
Cascades
B-15 Studio/1 Bth \$96,000
A-24 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
B-25 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-11 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



Locke Mountain
A-8 3 Bdm/2.5 Bth \$490,000
A-3 2 Bdm/1.75 Bth \$525,000
C-1 3 Bdm/3.75 Bth SOLD
A-2 3 Bdm/3.5 Bth SOLD
I-1 SOLD



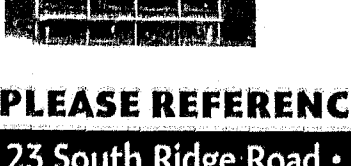
North Peak
NPI-208 2 Bdm/1 Bth \$189,000
NPII-207 2 Bdm/1 Bth \$198,500
NPII-109 2 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
NPII-203 2 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
NPI-105 2 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



Fall Line
E-106 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
S-206 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
N-105 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
N-104 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
S-105 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



Sunrise
C-104 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$150,000
A-104 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-106 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-129 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-101 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



Merrill Brook
III-B 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$165,000

NEW LISTING!



3 Dumont Circle, Bethel: Whether you are looking for a year-round residence or a vacation property, this charming log-sided cape is the perfect retreat. Located on a private, wooded lot in a quiet residential neighborhood off scenic Paradise Road, this home is less than two miles from the village and just eight miles from Sunday River. The home features a cozy farmer's porch, stone fireplace, large mudroom with plenty of storage, two car garage, a master suite and laundry on the first floor. All appliances, porch swing and shades and most drapes included. This home is priced to sell and will not last at Only \$299,900!



Sunday River Village, Newry: Proximity is not the only highlight of this impressive Contemporary home located within walking distance to the South Ridge Base Lodge. Soaring cathedral ceilings, spacious, open living space, plenty of natural lighting from the large windows and skylights. Lounge in the airy living room or just turn the corner to the cedar paneled hot tub room, modern kitchen, with an elegant dining room, loft area, master suite with dressing room and luxurious full bath, finished basement with pool room, game room, den and wet bar. Five bedrooms, three full bathrooms, and much more! \$695,000



Coombs Village: Quiet, convenient, located less than 1 mile from South Ridge Base Lodge at Sunday River Ski Resort is this contemporary turn-of-the-century exterior nestled quietly under the pines. Widespread farmers porch expands the living space to outdoor entertaining, while inside the vaulted pine ceiling throughout the great room adds spaciousness w/wooded warmth from the fireplace. Open granite countertops kitchen w/breakfast bar. The master suite, w/roomy walk-in closet & private bath, is on the 1st floor for privacy & convenience. Upstairs find 2 vaulted BRs & full bath. This 1,800+ sq ft home boasts quality handcrafted woodwork throughout. Ready to head up to the mountain? Just pick up your gear, walk a few yards & the free Mountain Explorer shuttle will pick you up & drop you off at South Ridge Base Lodge! Offered at only \$429,900, this is definitely a must see quality home at an affordable price.

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40+ acre camp lot located in Rumford
 Remote with good access, surveyed and soils tested. Close to ITS 82 just hop on trail and go! For you nature lovers Grafton Notch State Park & Evans Notch National Park are approx 30 minutes away. \$49,900

WATERFRONT located on Little Penesseewassee Pond (Hobbs Pond) in Norway. 44 acres mostly rolling field with fantastic mountain views. 850+ feet of frontage on town maintained road. Picture post and beam barn. This property has tons of character! Surveyed & soils tested. Development potential. Priced \$399,000

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WILL VIEW Phase II SUBDIVISION

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Lot #27 1.59 Acres	\$69,900	Lot #32 1.13 Acres	\$74,900
Lot #28 1.59 Acres	\$74,900	Lot #33 1.49 Acres	\$79,900
Lot #29 1.04 Acres	\$74,900	Lot #34 1.41 Acres	\$74,900

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 Lot #4 4.55 Acres \$159,900

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OUR LOG HOME LISTINGS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION:

Birch Woods, Bethel: Beautiful from the road & even more spectacular & spacious when you step inside! New log-sided home w/3 finished floors, porch, deck, mudroom, a/c 2-car garage, all on a lg. 2.6 acre lot in one of Bethel's most prestigious subdivisions. Gorgeous 2-story stone fireplace, cathedral beamed ceiling, a BR's plus loft, 4 baths, jacuzzi master, family room, cathedral stone fireplace, tiled mudroom, stainless steel appliances, granite counter, island kitchen, all finished w/gleaming natural woods. Located just off Rte. 2 on the walking paths & quick access to everything surrounding Bethel. \$479,000

Powder Ridge, Sunday River: New log-sided level home offers a view from an abundance of windows to take in the sweeping mt. views. Core up the sunny two-story stone fireplace after a long day of skiing or return to the large finished game room for some fun! There's a BR's plus a lot, 3 baths and plenty of room for everyone! With maple cabinets, granite counter, tiled hardwood floors, stainless steel appliances, cathedral ceilings & an open floor plan, it's perfect for entertaining or relaxing. Just completed an extremely upscale area & only 3 short miles from Sunday River Ski Resort - don't wait! \$419,900

Countryside Acres, Bethel: Blueprints for this newly completed log-sided 3BR "true" log home located near the Ellis River, just south of Andover. It has a stone village, railing and daylight/without basement for future expansion. It has a stone village, railing and daylight/without basement for future expansion. It has a stone village, railing and daylight/without basement for future expansion. \$239,900

So, Main St, Andover: View this incredibly well-built & maintained 3BR "true" log home located near the Ellis River, just south of Andover. It has a stone village, railing and daylight/without basement for future expansion. It has a stone village, railing and daylight/without basement for future expansion. \$199,900

Countryside Acres, Bethel: This adorable Bethel subdivision is the mother of all log-sided homes! Newly completed, this 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Paradise Rd, Bethel: Located on a 4-acre lot, this 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Off Intervale Rd, Bethel: This 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Taylor-Smith Rd, Bethel: This 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Hayley Lane, Bethel: Great location for the log-sided primary or secondary home of your dreams! Stone fireplace, sunny great room, stainless steel appliances, granite counter, wood deck, & large log railing deck are just some of this home's many features. Over the Intervale Rd, this brand new 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$389,900

South Pond Shores, Greenwood: Double access to the NICEST BEACH on South Pond is just one of the many features of this brand new log-sided home. It has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Holly Place, Bethel: This 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

India's Way at Mt. Abram Skiway, View: This 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

WE SELL MORE THAN LOG HOMES! SEE BELOW...

Waterfront!
Concord Pond, Waterfront: Perfect vacation & weekend get-away or second home! Very nice WATERFRONT! 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$379,900

Waterfront!
Hicks Pond, Greenwood: This one won't last long - WATERFRONT! 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$379,900

Waterfront!
Take Christopher, Bryant Pond: Stunning, immaculately well-maintained house on 100+ acres just south of Intervale Rd. This 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Waterfront!
Richardson Hollow, Greenwood: 5 ACRES READY FOR A HOME! Everything is ready & waiting for you to build or bring in a modular - new septic is in, new drilled well is capped, culverts & gravel driveway all installed and 200 AMP electric panel is set-up & done. This is a great, nicely sloped, lg. wooded lot on a quiet country road with an easy commute south to Norway or north to Bethel. This lot makes building easy! \$69,900

Taylor Woods, Bethel: Custom country cape w/outstanding views of construction & superior materials throughout. 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$379,900

Birch Woods, Bethel: The house of your dreams has just been constructed in the picturesque setting between Bethel & Sunday River. 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$379,900

Rte 232, Bethel: Come see this newly completed 3BR home with a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Rte 26 Main St, Bryant Pond: Commercial building on 100+ acres just south of Intervale Rd. This 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Hill Hill, Rumford: Spectacular house w/outstanding views of construction & superior materials throughout. 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$379,900

Mt. Abram Skiway Rd, Greenwood: You won't believe the space in this updated and converted 100+ year old 3BR home. 3BR, 1700 sq. ft. home is only a few short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Package in choice full bathroom, see our website for complete list of this home's amenities. \$379,900

Washington St, Rumford: This well-maintained 3BR home has a finished basement, a large deck, a 2-car garage, and a lot of natural beauty. \$429,000

Round Pond Channel, Greenwood: An acre of land with 500' of water frontage along the banks of the channel extending from Alder River dam to North Pond. South Pond and Round Pond. Use the public boat launch right next to this parcel or put in your own dock & park your camper. Non-buildable lot \$24,900

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NEW LISTING!
BEAUTIFUL CONTEMPORARY HOME
Beautiful contemporary home with amazing mountain views. Cherry kitchen and woodwork, granite countertops. Great floorplan with 2 fireplaces, tastefully landscaped, energy efficient and very well built with attention to detail. \$699,000



NEW LISTING!
SPACIOUS LODGE ON 52 ACRES
Spacious lodge on 52+/- acres of land in a rural setting. Many opportunities - new septic, sprinklered, new siding & windows. Ideal remote location with privacy. \$425,000



NEW LISTING!
PRIVATE CEDAR LOG HOME
Well maintained cedar log home located at Chestnut Knoll. Beautiful stone fireplace, sun room, cathedral ceiling, extensively landscaped, very private setting. Oversized 2 car garage. \$435,000



PENDING!
STARWOOD/COPPER HOUSE
One of a kind custom timber-frame ski home in Sunday River's most exclusive new subdivision, seconds from the ski resort, mountain views, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. Open floor plan, large deck, hot tub. \$599,000



NEW PRICE!
EXCEPTIONAL WATERFRONT HOME
Exceptional waterfront home on 2.6 acres. Open floor plan with center fireplace and hardwood floors. Only 2.8 miles to access road to Sunday River Ski Resort and Golf. Great kayaking, canoeing, fishing just outside your door. \$350,000



NEW LISTING!
WELL APPOINTED CAPE
Beautifully appointed 3 BR cape conveniently located minutes from Bethel Village, skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/ meticulous landscaping and spectacular westerly views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat. \$399,000



SUNNY DORMERED CAPE
Inviting 3 bedroom/2 bath dormered Cape located close to town on a nice country lot. Sunny interior with southern exposure and beautiful mountain and river views. Beautiful perennial gardens, porch, attached garage. A great spot! \$212,500



CLOSE TO TOWN- FULLY FURNISHED
Great primary or secondary home, fully furnished, walking distance to Bethel village, rental history, garage and large heated secondary garage/outbuilding. \$279,000



MAINE'S PREMIER SKI HOME
Extraordinary home in a secluded western Maine setting. A true mountain jewel boasting spectacular, unobstructed views of Sunday River. Chef's kitchen, and fully-equipped media room. Impeccable detail and finish work. \$1,550,000



HOME & BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY
Excellent Route 2 business location enroute to Sunday River Ski Resort, currently a home furnishing store and workshop. Plenty of room for expansion on 1.5 open acres. \$329,000



BETHEL VILLAGE MULTI-UNIT
Located in Historic district of Bethel. Main House features beautiful wood floors, fireplace. 3 additional rental units, plus mother in law quarters. 3-bay garage. \$549,900



POST & BEAM RIVERFRONT HOME
Beautiful oak post and beam home with over 400' of frontage on the Androscoggin River. 2 stone fireplaces, amazing views, in-law apartment, 2 car oversized garage. \$779,000



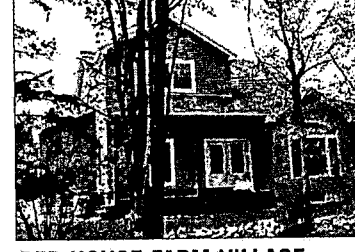
STORYBOOK CAPE
Meticulously landscaped home in storybook setting. Well built and designed home, near Howard Pond, winter and summer recreation, ski resorts. \$329,900



ROXBURY WATERFRONT COTTAGE
Enjoy many lazy days on Roxbury Pond in a secluded waterfront cove. Enter the water from your lawn to sandy beach or your dock to your boat. Cozy 2 BR on scenic, open level lot. Screened-in porch, fireplace and out building. \$329,000



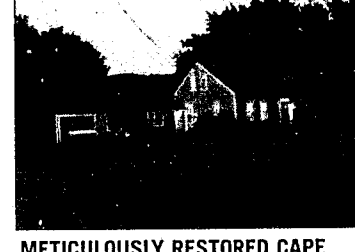
NEW 3-BEDROOM CHALET
Immaculate 3-bedroom chalet conveniently located just minutes from the Bethel Village, Bethel Inn and Sunday River Ski and Golf resort. Situated on 1.6+ acres, large wraparound deck, gas woodstove, fully-furnished. \$275,900



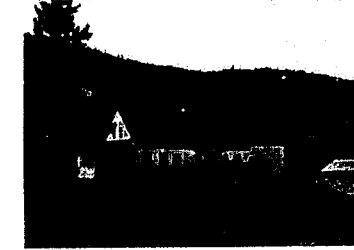
RED HOUSE FARM VILLAGE
3 bedroom, 3 bath home will be ready by March 2006. Featuring a 2-bay garage, tile, white washed cabinets and full basement for expansion. Ski home and take the trolley directly to the lodge. On mountain living couldn't be easier! \$399,000



CASABLANCA CINEMA
Premier location in Bethel. Property offered features four theaters. Also included is an additional 5600 sq ft. of Prime commercial leasing space. Great opportunity for investment property located in the heart of Ski/Golf community.



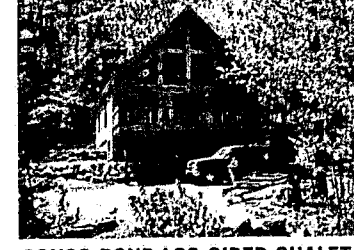
METICULOUSLY RESTORED CAPE
Meticulously restored 1800's Cape with great attention to detail. Beautiful craftsmanship throughout - amazing wide pine floors and detailed restorations. Wonderful screen room, skylights, views all on 4.9+/- acres! \$297,500



MILTON PLANTATION FARMHOUSE
Vintage cape farmhouse situated on 10.7 scenic acres with views and western exposure. 2 oversized detached storage barns, woodstove, partially finished second floor with unlimited potential. 3 bedrooms, 1 full bath. \$209,000



NEW HOME - GREAT PRICE
Newly built home close to the Village. Tastefully designed with many upgrades including hardwood floors, tile, Jenn Air range. Mountain views, wrap around porch, 2 full baths. \$244,900



SONGO POND LOG-SIDED CHALET
Newly built with 450+/- feet of frontage on Songo Pond across the road. Open floor plan, 3 BR, hardwood floors, maple kitchen, daylight walkout basement. Separate, adorable cabin behind main house. New well & septic. \$469,000



COOMBS VILLAGE CHALET
Coombs Village chalet located just a short walk from a trolley stop to the Sunday River Ski Resort. Open floor plan, finished basement, 1-car detached garage and storage. 3 bedrooms & 1 bath. \$369,000



TWITCHELL ROAD FARMHOUSE
1800s farmhouse w/ enormous 3-level attached barn right off Rte 26-possible location for antique shop. Great southern exposure, mtn views, stone walls and perennials. Set up as 2-unit apt house w/ lots of attached storage. \$165,000



LAKE UMBAGOG CHALET
Beautiful log home on Lake Umbagog. 150' waterfront w/ western views. Abundant wildlife, 2-car attached garage, screened porch, deck, paved drive, daylight basement, dock, lg stone chimney, nicely landscaped & much more. \$849,000



HISTORICAL 18TH CENTURY HOME
18th Century center chimney cape w/ easy access to Sunday River. Many recent improvements, 5 fireplaces, beautiful hardwood floors, spacious attached carriage house and restored barn with cupola. Unlimited possibilities and potential. \$479,000



LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION
Dormered Cape ideally located close to town en route to Sunday River. Great spot for commercial or residential. Featuring spacious kitchen, hardwood floors, 3 BR 1.5 BA, garage. Rented for \$2000/month for the 05/06 ski season! \$187,900



BETHEL VILLAGE CAPE
Quaint in-town home with many updates. Recently sided with a new 2-car garage. Cosmetic upgrades include newly painted walls, remodeled bathroom and new flooring. Expansion possibilities! \$189,000



EDEN RIDGE: THE NEXT PHASE
We're pleased to announce the next phase of Eden Ridge-6 townhouses within walking distance of Bethel. 3 BR spread over 3 levels, 2.5 baths, attached garage, gas fireplace, eastern mountain views. Great rental potential. \$211,000+



TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES
22 to-be-built condominiums spread across 10 scenic acres and located east of Bethel village en route Sunday River Ski/Golf Resort. Open floorplan with 3 BR, 2.5 BA, attached garage (end units), gas fireplace & more. \$279,000+



MOUNTAIN VISTA CONDOS
In the center of beautiful western Maine & 5 mins from world-class skiing and golfing. Spacious 3 BR bi-level units. Ride the Mountain Explorer to skiing with shops, restaurants and pubs along the way and in Bethel village. \$289,000+

CONDOS

309 NORTH PEAK II: 2 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Furnished. \$215,000
1B EDEN RIDGE: 2 bedroom/1 1/4 bath townhouse. Furnished, great views, HW floors, close to town. \$199,000
JORDAN GRAND 317-323D: 1/4 share, sleeps 10, 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, large combined unit. \$187,000
C105 SUNRISE: 1 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$139,500
BROOKSIDE II: 1 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views. Furnished. \$139,000
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BROOKSIDE II: 1 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views, fully furnished. \$119,000
CASCADES: Studio unit/1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views, fully furnished. \$95,000
GRAND SUMMIT: 1 bedroom slopeside 1/4 share condominium. Fully furnished, RCI affiliated. PENDING
GRAND SUMMIT: Studio slopeside 1/4 share condominium. Fully furnished, RCI affiliated. \$13,900

SUBDIVISIONS

SWAN HILL AT INTERVALE INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL

10 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.41-2.91 ACRES
\$72,900-\$89,900

RIVER GLEN INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL

ONLY 7 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.00-5.50 ACRES
\$39,900-\$89,900

MEADOW VIEW ESTATES BEAR RIVER ROAD, NEWRY

8 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.20-1.70 ACRES
\$74,900-\$94,900

ELLINGWOOD MOUNTAIN NORTH ROAD, BETHEL

6 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.61-2.88 ACRES
\$60,000-\$80,000

LAND

Songo Pond Waterfront: 1.9 acres. \$289,000
Awesome Paradise Lot: 1.0 acres. \$249,000
Development Potential: 70 acres. \$219,000
Sunday River Lot: 2 Acres. \$199,000
Paradise Road Views: 2 acres. \$139,900
Rumford Lot w/ Great Views: 43.7 acres. \$129,500
Red House Farm Village. \$120,000
Potential Albany Views: 43 acres. \$100,000
Picnic Hill Rd Views: 40 acres. \$95,000
Private Lot with Views: 20 acres. \$85,000
Premier Taylor Woods Riverfront Lot: 1.7 acres. \$79,500
Sunset Hill - Spectacular Views: 1.46 acres. \$74,900
Sunday River Lot: 46 acres. \$69,900
Beautiful Westerly Views: 2.84 acres. \$68,900
Bird Hill Lot: 12 acres. \$65,000
Milton Plantation Scenic Lot: 34 acres. \$59,000
Close Proximity to North Pond: 1 acre. \$59,000
Rumford Lot Elevated & Private: 8.0 acres. \$58,000
North Road Views: 1.1 acres. \$42,000
Albany Building Lot: 1.36 acres. \$34,500

MAHOOSUC GLEN SUNDAY RIVER GOLF LOTS

9 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.00-1.20 ACRES
\$175,000-\$285,000

POWDER RIDGE NEWRY

5 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.09-3.23 ACRES
\$99,000-\$179,900

HARBOR HILL WOODSTOCK

3 LOTS AVAILABLE
3.13-3.25 ACRES
\$28,000-\$29,000

QUEEN'S LANDING MASON TOWNSHIP

3 LOTS AVAILABLE
5.00 ACRES EACH
\$58,000 EACH

THE PEAKS ATOP MT WILL NEWRY

34 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.49-10.1 ACRES
\$121,500-\$325,000

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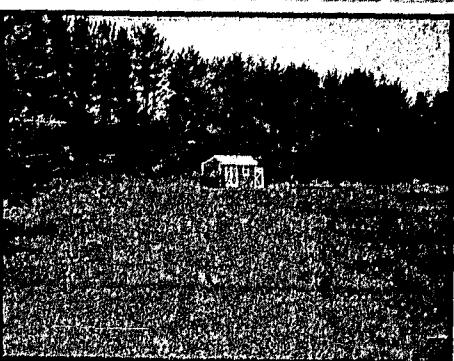
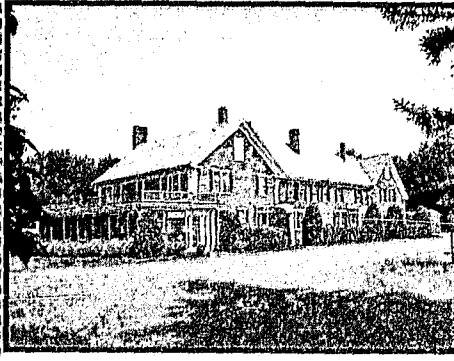
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New Commercial Offering on Rte 2, Mayville: The Property You Have Always Admired Is Now Being Offered For Sale!!! Yes, the stately Norseman Inn & Barn Motel will be conveyed with unparalleled Rte 2 visibility on 5+/- acres with almost 600' of coveted road frontage. The meticulous upkeep of this property is witnesses throughout the scenic grounds annually enhanced with whimsical landscaping, the exterior building maintenance of the Inn/Motel, Garage and out buildings and of course the pristine interior of the historic Inn. The Inn is comprised of a spacious, comfortable Living Room warmed by a roaring stone fireplace and adjoined by an equally spacious Dining Room with second stone fireplace, private Family Room with nearby check-in quarters, 8 lovely Guest Rooms, multiple Baths, an oversized Commercial Kitchen and ample Inn-Keepers' Quarters. Additionally the 22 room Motel with 22 private Baths & Guest Amenity Areas are in remarkable condition. Magnificently Enhanced with scenic mountainous silhouettes & Androscoggin River Views, the Norseman is only minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort. It is directly situated in the optimal location of traffic patterns to all major area amenities-inclusive of 2 ski resort areas, 2 championship golf courses, all water sports, children's recreation area, a movie theater, plus fabulous dining & shopping. The current owners have personally run the Inn since 1990 & offer an impressive rental history with a rich Guest Register Ledger. Conveyed in substantial Lock, Stock & Barrel Condition, with most furnishings included, **Perhaps The Greatest Appeal Of The Norseman Is That It Offers The Next Fortunate Owners a Very Special Quality of Life...Just Think, All This Could Be Yours!!! Call For Details**

With almost \$165 Million Dollars in Volume of Sales and 1,724 Transactions, Kennett Realty, Inc. is appreciative of our #1 Status. A big thank-you to our patrons.

NEW SUMMER TIME INVENTORY!



New Listing-Songo Pond Waterfront: This Newly Renovated Gem is Ever-So-Close To The Water's Edge! Situated on the coveted east side of the lake, the serene setting allows for glorious sunsets only enhanced with expansive lake & mountain views. An ample Great Room exudes space & warmth with high ceilings, a masonry wood-burning fireplace, rich wood walls & ceilings, a newly customized Kitchen with wraparound countertops, all appliances, 2 full Baths & 3 Bedrooms inclusive of a private upper level Master Suite. Drilled well, newer septic, washer & dryer. **Welcome To Your Next Dream Home! \$449,900**



New Listing: North pond Waterfront: Practically On The Water's Edge...A most captivating setting is enjoyed from this classic North Pond Cottage offering 150 +/- of sought after lake frontage. Enjoy mountainous silhouettes, the sounds & sights of loons & years of colorful sunsets while basking in the warmth of westerly exposure. A wealth of pine is utilized within the interior, consisting of a Living Room/Kitchen combination with woodstove, 2 Bedrooms & Bath. **Life Is Good! \$299,900**

CHANCES ARE... We Know Your Sunday River Condo Inside & Out! The Team of Ed & Mary Jo Kennett Has Sold As Well As Constructed More Sunday River Condominiums and Townhomes Than Anyone!

Sunday River Ski In/Ski Out Condos

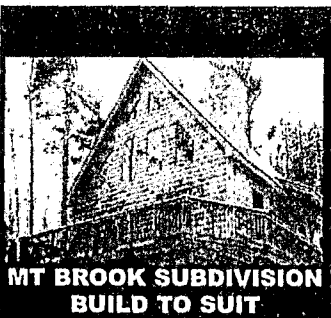
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		
B-401	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$215,000
B-108	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$224,900
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II		
B-207	Studio/1 Bath	\$79,900
A-201	Studio/1 Bath	\$84,900
A-214	Studio/1 Bath	\$94,900
B-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$124,900
B-314	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900
A-116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$132,900
A-306	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$139,900
CASCADES		
B-16	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900
FALL LINE		
S-102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$144,900
LOCKE MOUNTAIN		
N-2	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	\$699,000
L-3	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	\$699,900
Q-2	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	\$729,900
D-1	4 Bdrm/4 Bath	\$729,900
MERRILL BROOK		
3C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$175,000
3C & 3D	2 1/2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$369,900
I-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
NORTHPEAK		
III-303	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$210,000
II-210	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
III-304	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
WHITE CAP		
A-305	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$145,900
A-401	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$149,900
A-304	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$149,900
SOUTH RIDGE		
B-2	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	\$275,000
I-4	1 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$289,000
F-1	3 Bdrm/1.75 Bath	\$450,000
SUNRISE		
C-116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$146,000

Area Townhomes

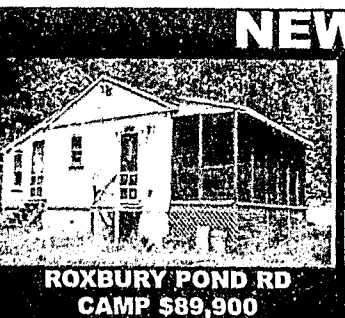
BARKER BROOK		
#14	2 Bdrm/Loft/1.75 Bath	\$265,000
CHAMBERLAIN CONDOMINIUMS		
#B33-A	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$184,900
#36-B	2 Bdrm/End Unit	\$189,900
BETHEL INN TOWNHOMES		
#514/515	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
EDEN RIDGE TOWNHOUSES		
#3D	3 Bdrm/1.75 Bath	\$189,000
OPERA HOUSE		
#23	Loft 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
POWDER RIDGE TOWNHOMES		
#38	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	SOLD
RIVERBEND		
#4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES		
#6	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	\$439,900
#5	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	\$459,900

Sunday River Quartershares

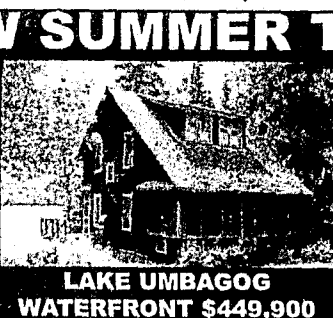
JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE		
146-A	Studio/1 Bath	\$17,500
149-B	Studio/1 Bath	\$17,500
155-D	Studio/1 Bath	\$22,500
139-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$25,900
311-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$25,900
161-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$28,900
161-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$28,900
163-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
163-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
163-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
163-D	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
253-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$35,000
235/237-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$42,000
254-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$42,900
157/159-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$43,000
144-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$38,900
156-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$46,000
248/250-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,500
209/211-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900
104/106-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$50,000
263/265-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$54,000
253-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$55,000
329-A	1 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$67,000
GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE		
317-B	Studio/1 Bath	\$16,500
105-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$18,000
325/327-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$28,000
260/262-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$29,000
164/166-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$29,500
188/190-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$33,500
120/122-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$41,000
330/332-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$41,000
241/243-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$55,000



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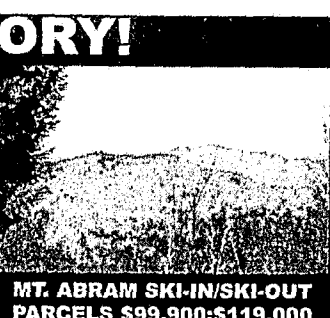
ROXBURY POND RD CAMP \$89,900



LAKE UMBAGOG WATERFRONT \$449,900



PREMIERE NEW LISTING CALL FOR DETAILS



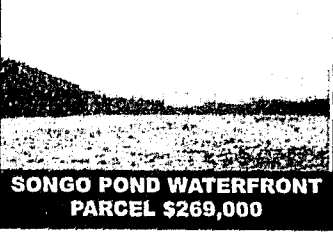
MT. ABRAM SKI-IN/SKI-OUT PARCELS \$99,900;\$119,000



WILL VIEW-OFF SUNDAY RIVER RD \$249,900



CHARMING FARMHOUSE \$224,900



SONGO POND WATERFRONT PARCEL \$269,000



SCENIC SONGO POND AREA \$299,900



SIMILAR CONSTRUCTION GOSS POND AREA \$199,900

PREMIERE LISTINGS!



BRAND NEW QUALITY CHALET \$299,900



BEAUTIFUL NEW CHALET ON PARADISE \$329,900



SPECTACULAR VIEWS OF SUNDAY RIVER



QUALITY & BEAUTY MERGED MT. ABRAM \$399,000

PREMIERE LISTINGS!



SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE \$849,000



SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE \$749,000



SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE \$529,000



DRASTICALLY REDUCED-COOMBS VILLAGE \$269,000

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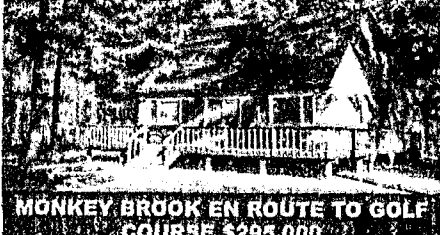
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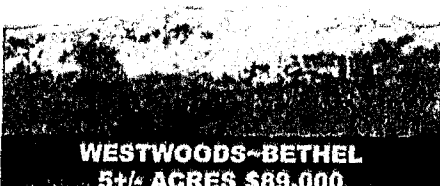
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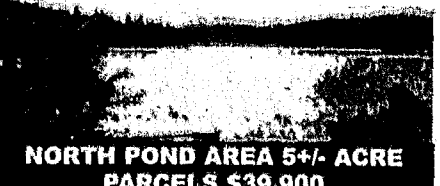
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Obituaries



PAULINE E. C. WIEDEN

Pauline E. Wieden, 86, died Saturday, July 1, 2006 at Redington-Fairview General Hospital in Skowhegan.

She was born on March 9, 1920 in Houlton, the daughter of Harvard and Meta G. (Springer) Card. She attended High School in Houlton, and got her teaching certificate at Aroostook State Normal School and Gorham State College. She then taught school in Presque Isle.

Pauline married her best friend and soul mate, Lindley L. Wieden, on June 26, 1946 in Stockholm, with his father officiating. They lived in Boston, Mass., Springfield, Vt., and Rocky Hill, Conn., where Pauline started a nursery school. She was also a member of the Garden Club and Couples Club. They moved to Dexter in 1967 where she taught in Guilford and Sangerville. Next they moved to Livermore, then Bethel where they lived for 23 years.

Pauline was a seamstress, worked at Gould Academy and over the years in several stores. In 2003, they moved

to Madison to be near family. She was a member of the First Congregational Church of Norridgewock.

Pauline was a gem to everyone, a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Her family was the center of her life.

She leaves her husband of 60 years, Lindley Wieden; five children, Sylvia Miller and her husband Blaine, Cynthia Paine and her fiancé Michael Friedmann, Stephen Wieden, Catherine Sands and her husband Thomas, and Priscilla Hansen; grandchildren, Adele McIntyre, Christal Siren, Lon Miller, Amy Collins, Jameson Paine, Amber Jansen, Seth Sands, Joshua Sands, Ashley Bureau, Jennie Warren, Emily Hansen, and Anna Hansen; great-grandchildren, Miles McIntyre, Caleb McIntyre, Ella Siren, Clayton Miller, Colby Miller, Sophie Collins, Sean Collins, Makenzie Sands. She was predeceased by many of her cousins in California.

A funeral service was held on Monday, July 3, at the First Congregational Church of Norridgewock, 36 River Road, Norridgewock with the Rev. Russell Lane officiating. Interment followed at Sunset View Cemetery, Route 2, Norridgewock. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the First Congregational Church of Norridgewock, 36 River Road, Norridgewock, ME 04957; Oncology Department of Redington-Fairview General Hospital, 46 Fairview Avenue, Skowhegan, ME 04976; or the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718.

BIRTHS

BERYL R. WAISANEN

Beryl R. Waisanen, 77, of Main Street, Oxford, died Sunday, July 2, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Lewiston, Nov. 21, 1928, the daughter of John and Norine Rogers Ring. She graduated from West Paris High School in the Class of 1948. She had been employed at Penley's Mill, as a cook at Ledgewick Nursing Home and then babysitting. She enjoyed crocheting and was an avid Red Sox fan.

She is survived by her children, Carlene Montminy of Oxford, Faye Estes and her husband Ricky of Oxford, William Waisanen and his wife Cindy of Wisconsin and Jolene Waisanen of Connecticut; a brother, Durwood Ring of New Hampshire; a twin sister, Sheryl Waisanen of West Paris; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Toivo Waisanen in 1991.

Family and friends may attend funeral services Friday, July 7, at 11 a.m. at the Weston-Chandler Funeral Home, 45 Main Street, South Paris with interment in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris. A period of visitation will be held 1 hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, those wishing may make memorial gifts in her memory to Tri-Town Rescue, West Paris. Online condolences may be conveyed to the family at www.westonchandler.com.

Births

Jason Hebert and Jenny Gonzalez of Oxford are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Austin Michael Hebert, born on May 21, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 3 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Eslyn and Mike Gonzalez of Oxford.

Paternal grandparents are Mike and Julie Hebert of Waterford/Norway.

Robert Clarey and Kathy Matthews of Bryant Pond are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Nathan Robert Clarey born on June 1, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Lori Montesarchio and Raymond Montesarchio of New York.

Paternal grandparents are Robert Mooney and Judith Mooney of Bangor.

Nathan joins sisters Kayla, age 9, Desiree, age 6, and Brooke, age 3.

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Drug abuse in Maine is on the rise and many parents are seeking to provide a safe alternative for their children. Substitutes can range from educational to recreational programs. A great program is Hooked On Fishing — Not On Drugs, a national program of the Future Fisherman Foundation.

Hooked On Fishing begins with the idea that children do not need to use drugs; what they do need is alternative hobbies to keep them from using drugs.

The program features sport fishing and aquatic education. One of its principal functions, besides increasing a youth's angling skills, is to help develop life skills that deflect children from using drugs.

Hooked On Fishing teaches children fishing skills, how to be responsible stewards of our water resources, and about aquatic ecology and biology. It also teaches them communication skills, self-esteem building, responsibility, overcoming peer pressure, good problem-solving and decision making skills and gives them positive role models.

Hooked On Fishing — Not On Drugs, is sponsored by the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife (IF&W). IF&W coordinates with local communities to educate volunteers to become certified instructors through a free eight-hour training course. Volunteers are the most vital component to the program.

These people are inspiring individuals who are devoted to helping children stay away from drugs and to helping their community as well. Volunteers can be parents, Big Brothers or Sisters, senior citizens, or anyone who cares for our children.

Some of the top reasons to become Hooked On Fishing: fishing is a natural motivator and encourages kids to learn; it can provide a fun and natural way to involve parents with their children; it is inexpensive to implement; instructors do not have to be experts; and it can be used as a supplement to other anti-drug programs.

What you can do — take a young person fishing, enroll with a child in the Hooked On Fishing program, or become a volunteer for Hooked On Fishing.

For more information on the Hooked On Fishing — Not On Drugs program, please visit the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife website at <http://www.maine.gov/ifw/education/hofnod/index.htm> or contact Emily Jones, activities coordinator, Maine Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife, 284 State Street, SHS 41, Augusta, ME 04333-0041. Phone 287-8069 or e-mail emily.jones@maine.gov.

"In our back yard" is a column of the Maine Department of Environmental Protection. E-mail your environmental questions to: infodep@state.me.us or send them to: "In our backyard," Maine DEP, 17 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333. This column was submitted by Kelly Langley, a Maine Conservation Corps/Americorps volunteer with the Maine DEP's Bureau of Land and Water Quality in Presque Isle.

Club and organization news

The Citizen welcomes submissions of news items and photographs from local clubs and organizations.

The deadline for clubs and organizational items is noon Monday, but earlier submission is appreciated.

All news articles should be typed or printed legibly, and include the name and daytime telephone number of a contact person.

Photos: When submitting photographs, please identify the nature and date of the activity, the names of everyone shown in the photograph, and the name of the photographer. Please also provide the name and telephone number of a contact person.

Submissions can be dropped off at The Citizen office (behind the Bethel Town Office) or mailed to P.O. Box 109, Bethel, ME, 04217. During non-business hours, items can be placed in the mailbox outside our office. For further information, call 824-2444.

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